

company states, it made a careful study of existing conditions affecting the rate question. In its application to the state commission it sets forth the fundamental principles which it says were developed as the result of this study. They are:

"A. That any rate schedule must provide for a comprehensive development of the service, with a broad, general distribution of telephone and wide usage of same, to the end that the service may be of the greatest value to the community as a whole.

"B. That rates for service must be fair and reasonable, and in proportion to the value of the service to and use of the service by each individual subscriber, in order that the rates may be attractive to and within the reach of all who may have need for telephone service.

"C. That the gross revenue secured under any rate schedule must be sufficient to provide for:

"Expense of operation and maintenance involved in giving efficient, adequate and dependable telephone service.

"D. A proper and adequate amount for depreciation, in order that funds may be available for reconstruction and replacements as same become necessary, so that the property may be kept in a state of efficiency corresponding with the progress of the industry.

"E. A fair and reasonable return on the investment, commensurate with the risks of the business, to which the investors are justly entitled, and a reasonable surplus to provide for contingencies and unforeseen casualties. Furthermore, a fair return on the present investment is an absolute necessity of additional capital is to be attracted to the enterprise, to provide for additions and improvements required to meet the continually increasing demands of our subscribers and the public generally for additional service and the latest improvements and developments in the art."

"Business Rates Too Low."

Continuing, the application says:

"With respect to the rate schedule now in effect in the city of St. Louis, the fact stands out prominently—that the rates for unlimited business service are entirely too low, and inconsistent with the quality and extent of service furnished, and that a large number of the unlimited business subscribers are receiving service at a rate less than cost, owing to their heavy use of the service. It was therefore quite evident that the rates for unlimited business service should be materially increased, and, at the same time, that rates should be offered that will be attractive to the small users."

"From our study of the suspended rates it was apparent that those rates should be slightly modified, in order to distribute the increase in revenue more nearly in proportion to the use of the service by the various classes of subscribers."

A table is filed showing that the company reduced its rate of dividend from 8 per cent to 6 per cent in 1910, and to 4 per cent in 1911 and 1912, and on the basis of earnings of 1913 would have to reduce it to 3 or 2 per cent. Statistics intended to show the comparison of the cost of the different classes of service were filed, with the application. The application was filed in Jefferson City, where the Commission has its headquarters.

PETER SCHUTTLER CHOSEN TO FILL BUSCH VACANCY

Nephew of Mrs. Adolphus Busch Elected to Directorate of Brewing Association.

Peter Schuttler of Chicago, a nephew of Mrs. Adolphus Busch, Tuesday was elected a director of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, filling the vacancy created by the death of Adolphus Busch. Edward A. Faust, vice-president of the association, announced that he also probably would be elected fifth vice-president.

Other directors re-elected were August A. Busch, Edward A. Faust, E. S. Busch, Robert Holm, Adolphus Busch III, W. Fred Anheuser, Edward Anheuser and Edward Magnus.

August A. Busch, at the election of officers this week, will succeed his father as president of the association. All officers will move up a notch, Faust becoming first vice-president, Claus second vice-president, Adolphus Busch III third vice-president, Magnus fourth vice-president, and Holm remaining as secretary and treasurer.

WILSON RENOMINATES PINDELL FOR RUSSIA POST

Grand Whitlock of Toledo, Nominated for Minister to Belgium, by President.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Henry M. Pindell, the Florida, Ill. publisher, was nominated today by President Wilson for Ambassador to Russia.

Pindell's nomination failed in the Senate after it became a center of attention because of publication of certain alleged correspondence with Senator Lewis.

Grand Whitlock of Toledo was nominated for Minister to Belgium, and George Fred Williams of Boston was nominated for Minister to Greece and Montenegro.

Wilfred T. Denison of New York was nominated for Secretary of the Interior of the Philippines.

G. D. Little of California was nominated for Receiver of Public Moneys at Eureka, Cal.

AVOIDS RAISE IN RENT BY BUYING ALTON HOUSE

A. Henry of Alton, avoided a raise in rent by his landlord, by purchasing the house. The deal was closed Monday.

Henry of Alton, who has been living in the place a long time, was asked a raise in rent. He refused the place, but was loath to leave. He moved out, but was kept thinking about it, and he decided he ought to buy the house and made a proposition to buy it, which was accepted.

A Set of Our Beautiful Gift Suggestion Booklets Will Be Given You Upon Request



Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH
in connection with James McCreery & Co., New York

The Christmas Spirit Is Everywhere Evident in the Great Vandervoort Store

Christmas shopping has started with a rush and Vandervoort's is ready as never before—because of the greatly increased space and new departments—to serve the public. Throughout this vast establishment, which occupies an entire city block, will be found Christmas stocks that are wonderfully complete and in infinite variety.

Whatever may be your needs or taste, we stand ready to supply your every requirement with the best for the price no matter what the price. We feel that we cannot emphasize too often the advantages of early shopping, which include freedom from the great crowds of later on and choice from complete lines.

Extraordinary Values in Women's Dresses

On Wednesday we shall again feature some exceptional values from our Costume Room. We shall offer dresses for street, afternoon and evening wear which have been taken from our regular stock and marked very low in price in order to insure an immediate clearance. Special attention is called to the groups listed below:

Values Up to \$27.50

In this group are Afternoon Dresses of Charmeuse, Crepe de Chine, Wool Crepe and Serge in a smart assortment of styles and colorings. They have draped, tunic and plain skirts, while the sleeves are long or short. Choice of black, navy, brown, green and white. Values up to \$27.50.

Sale price **\$12.75**

Values Up to \$50.00

In this lot are a number of exceedingly stylish garments of Meteor, Charmeuse and Crepe de Chine. Choice may be had from a quantity of interestingly attractive styles and colors, while the trimmings are crystal and lace. Values up to \$50.00.

Sale price **\$24.50**

Values Up to \$165.00

Anyone who wishes a very handsome Afternoon or Evening Costume should be sure to see this special lot of high art creations which includes a few original models. Values up to \$165.00.

Sale price **\$89.50**

Third Floor.

A Wonderful Purchase and Sale of Silks That Brings Savings of 1/3 to 1/2

We have just secured from one of the largest importers in America about 7000 yards of miscellaneous makes of Plain and Fancy Colored and Black Silks at a great concession in price.

These are just the kind of silks that will be useful for holiday gifts as well as for making waists and street and afternoon dresses. They will be ready for sale tomorrow (Wednesday) morning

AT 1/3 AND 1/2 LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES

We believe this to be one of the most sensational silk sales ever offered to the shopping public of this vicinity, and we advise early buying, as these silks are sure to sell rapidly at the extraordinary low prices at which they are marked.

Colored Silks

29-inch Printed Crepe; white ground with Dresden printing. Values 65c and 75c a yard, sale price **39c**

24-inch Plain Poplin in 14 shades, including all the new ones. Value 75c a yard, sale price **39c**

24-inch Printed Poplin in choice designs and colorings. Value 75c a yard, sale price **39c**

30-inch Silk Marquisette—white and colored grounds with satin and Persian borders. Value \$1.00 a yard, sale price **39c**

Black Silks

42-inch Black Stripe Voiles in seven styles. Value 85c a yard, sale price **49c**

26-inch Black Silk Serge—an elegant weave for suits, sale price **69c**

40-inch Black Satin Imperial with charmeuse finish. Value \$1.50 a yard, sale price **\$1.10**

40-inch Black Matisse in choice designs. Value \$3.50 a yard, sale price **\$1.90**

Second Floor.

Colored Silks

24-inch Brocade Poplin in light and dark colors. Value \$1.00 a yard. In this sale at **49c**

26-inch Printed Crepe in beautiful designs and colors. Value 85c a yard. In this sale at **49c**

24-inch Brocade Satin in white only. Value \$1.00 a yard. In this sale at **69c**

23-inch fancy stripe Twills in new colors for waists and dresses. Value \$1.00 a yard. In this sale at **69c**

Use Our New Elevators

You will find it convenient, and probably less crowded, to use our new elevators in the Century Building when visiting either the Second, Third or Fourth Floor. There are four of them, and they run between the First and Fourth Floors, exclusively.

A Gift of Art Needlework Would Prove Attractive

A gift of Art Needlework is sure to be appreciated and when the selection is made from our representative stock of attractive novelties you are assured of the best of quality and the best for the price no matter what the price. Among the newest gift suggestions are these:

A sample line of imported Pillow Covers in long and square shapes and all the newest art embroideries. Prices **85c to \$12.50**

Table Scarfs for the library and living room in tapestry, Oriental and embroidered effects and of fiber silk. Prices **\$1.25 to \$25.00**

Scarfs for the dresser and sideboard include embroidered Swiss, Russian, Cluny and Flirt motifs. Prices **50c to \$12.50**

Mending, Sewing and Laundry Bags made of cretonne. Prices **35c to \$2.50**

French Trays for the toilet table, dresser or for manicure articles, in ivory and gold finishes. Prices **65c to \$5.50**

Sewing Baskets lined with silk or satin, also unlined. Prices **75c to \$6.50**

Shadow Cretonne Boxes for handkerchiefs, gloves, veils, mending, etc.; colors are pink and blue. Prices from **25c to \$3.50**

French Baskets for flowers, fruit or bonbons in ivory with floral garlands and gold decorations also for sewing or mending. Prices **\$1.35 to \$13.50**

Pillow Covers in Italian, Spanish and broadened effects; long and square shapes. Prices **\$1.35 to \$9.50**

Hair Ribbon, Neck Tie and Towel Holders. Prices from **50c to \$1.50**

Telephone Lists are priced at **65c to \$3.50**

Stamping for embroidery done on short notice. Also designing and monogram work a specialty.

Second Floor.

Visit Our Complete Drug Store

First Floor.

Attend This Important Sale of Women's Suits and Coats

Tomorrow will be a most opportune time for the purchase of a new Suit or Coat, as we are offering some of the best values of the season in our Suit and Coat Department. Savings now obtainable certainly justify a purchase at this time.

Suits Valued at \$38.50 to \$62.50

These Suits are of wool velour, corduroys, velvets, cords, serges, fancy suitings, etc., in semi-blouse and entourage styles. They are trimmed with Persian collars and with fur or suede. The skirts are draped on Collat lines with petticoat or shirred back. Choice of black, navy, terra cotta, hunter's green, rose and taupe. Values \$38.50 to \$62.50. Sale prices **\$25.00 to \$42.50**

Suits Valued at \$38.50 to \$95.00

In this particular lot will be found both foreign and domestic Suits in an extremely wide variety of the newest materials and colors. These range in value from \$38.50 to \$95.00. Sale prices **\$25.00 to \$62.50**

Coats Valued at \$27.50 to \$35.00

These are Utility and Motor Coats and are in three-quarter and seven-eighths lengths. Made on semi-lines with kimono sleeves and some with convertible collars. They are lined or half-lined and are made of sibilene cloth and Novelty Coatings in black, navy, taupe, brown, gray and mixtures. Values \$27.50 to \$35.00. Sale prices **\$19.50 to \$22.50**

Coats Valued at \$45.00 to \$75.00

This is a large assortment of handsome, new Coats adapted for afternoon and general wear. The materials are plain and fancy plush, sibilene cloth, caracul cloth, broadcloth, silk and wool broadcades, wool velour, etc., in the prevailing shades of this Winter, and black. These garments are attractively trimmed with velvet and braid and have set-in or kimono sleeves. Values \$45.00 to \$75.00. Sale prices **\$30.00 to \$50.00**

Third Floor.

Let Our Flower Shop Serve You

The C. B. a la Spirite Corsets Enjoy a Great Popularity



Particularly favored by the best dressed women are the C. B. a la Spirite Corsets, because they enhance the smart effect of their costumes.

In our Corset Section on the Third Floor will be found the new models, some softly boned, made of Tricot cloth and others of stronger fabrics boned with firm walolon.

Our expert corsetiers will gladly advise with you in the proper selection of a model. Prices **\$1.00 to \$5.00**

C. B. a la Spirite Corset, Model 1217 is the one illustrated and is made of soft Tricot cloth, which assures the wearer absolute comfort and ease combined with good lines. Size 19 to 28. The pair **\$5.00**

C. B. a la Spirite Corset, Model 763, as illustrated, has low bust and is made of figured batiste. It has the new feature of no bones over the hips. Sizes 19 to 28. The pair **\$3.50**

Third Floor.

Choice of Any Oriental Rug in Stock at 25 Per Cent Off

In ample time for Christmas comes this extraordinary sale of Oriental Rugs, as we shall offer, beginning tomorrow, our entire stock at 25 per cent off of their regular prices

An Oriental Rug is something that is sure to be appreciated by anyone who keeps house and will make a permanent present of a practical nature.

If you so desire, we will hold any rug purchased during this sale for future delivery. This will enable you to take advantage of the radical reduction in prices and at the same time not be inconvenienced by having to store them until the time wanted.

It will pay everyone—and pay them well—to at least investigate these offerings which are to be shown in our largely increased Floor Covering Department on the Fourth Floor. Below we give you our present prices on these Rugs, from which the discount is to be taken.

We have Mahal and Extra Persian Rugs that range from the 9x12 size at **\$120.00** to the 14.3x20.8 size at **\$680.00**

Serapi Rugs are priced from the 9x12 size at **\$190.00** to the 11.9x19.9 size at **\$650.00**

We have Daghestan Rugs in hearth and door sizes at **\$7.00 to \$35.00**

We also have on display Kermanshah, Sarouk, Khiva, Feraghan and Cashmere Rugs in large and small sizes and a wide range of prices.

We have Mossule Rugs that vary in size and range in price from **\$17.50 to \$65.00**

Kabistan Mats and Rugs are Priced at **\$7.50 to \$30.00**

Many Other Rugs—Too Numerous to List—Will Be Offered at This Saving of 25%.

Fourth Floor.

You Can Save 1/4 to 1/2 During This Important Sale of Cut Glass

Our Holiday Sale of Cut Glass, which started on Monday and which is involving about 5000 pieces, some of which are the most beautiful productions of the year—continues with the greatest enthusiasm.

Without doubt the greatest preparations were made to make this sale eclipse all similar events in values, magnitude and business done, securing, as we did, the balance of the stock of one of America's foremost cut glass manufacturers. The nearness of Christmas suggests manifold opportunities that this sale provides to buy gifts.

Cut Glass Bowls. Values \$2.50 to \$9.00. Sale prices **\$1.75 to \$4.50**

Cut Glass Compotes. Value \$3.75. Sale price **\$2.75**

Cut Glass Tumblers. Values \$10 and \$12 a dozen. Sale price, each **50c**

Cut Glass Vases. Values \$1.50 to \$30.00. Sale prices **\$1.00 to \$15.00**

We are listing only a fraction of the 5000 pieces in this sale as the assortment ranges from 6-inch Nappies worth \$1.50 for 65c to Punch Bowls valued at \$85.00 for \$42.50.

Cut Glass Water Sets, including Pitcher, Six Tumblers and mirror Plateau. Values \$6 to \$20. Sale prices **\$2.95 to \$20.00**

Fern Dishes. Values \$5.00 and \$7.00. Sale prices **\$3.75 and \$4.25**

Water Pitchers. Values \$3.00 to \$10.00. Sale prices **\$1.95 to \$6.00**

Fourth Floor.

Our Notable Sale of Women's Pure Silk Stockings Continues and Offers Exceptional Opportunities to Buy.

All That Is Best in Toys Is Shown at Vandervoort's



With our Toy Department occupying about double the space that it did last season, we are ready as never before to supply the needs of everyone. Hundreds of articles are on display throughout this department, and as many of them were imported from Europe it is advisable to choose early, because after the ones we have on hand are sold we can get no more in time for Christmas.

Bring the children down to this department as often as convenient and let them see the wonderful dolls and toys we have assembled, among which are these:

Full jointed Dolls with moving eyes, sewed wig, shoes and stockings; 28 inches high; blonde, Tosca or brunette. Price **75c**

"Kewpie" Dolls of celluloid or bisque. A large variety to select from. Prices **15c to \$2.25**

Toy Grocery Stores made of highly polished oak and stocked with real groceries in miniature packages. Prices **50c to \$5.00**

Folding Lawn Swings for dolls; red, green and natural color. Prices **50c to \$1.25**

Basement.

If in Doubt as to a Gift Give a Merchandise or Glove Certificate

Merchandise Certificates will be found a most useful form of Christmas gift. We issue them for any amount, redeemable for any merchandise in our store, at any time. Purchasable at cashier's desk on First or Seventh Floor.

Glove Certificates are excellent where one wishes to give Gloves for Christmas and the size, shade and style that would be most acceptable to the recipient are unknown. Purchasable at Glove Department on First Floor.



\$10.00 brings you a \$200 Victor-Victrola and \$10 in Victor Records (your own selection). Total value \$210. Payments \$10 per month for 20 months.

Victor Record Index Book—FREE to Victrola Owners on request.

Sixth Floor.

BACKACHE IS A DANGER SIGNAL

Kidney Troubles, Bladder Disorders, Rheumatism and Serious Diseases Follow.

The kidneys get clogged up, the same as the bowels do. Then they become sluggish, and only filter or strain out a part of the waste or poisonous matter, all the rest remaining in the blood and poisoning the system.

As soon as you notice the first indications of backache, pains in the sides, or aches around the kidneys, take a little Croxone three times a day and end these troubles before they become more serious.

There is no more effective remedy known for the prompt relief and cure of kidney, bladder troubles and rheumatism, than Croxone. It soaks right into the kidneys through the walls and lining; cleans out the clogged up pores; neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid and waste matter that lodge in the joints and muscles, and cause those terrible rheumatic pains, and makes the kidneys filter the poison from the blood and drive it out of the system.

A few days' use of this new scientific preparation is often all that is ever needed to end the worst backache, or kidney troubles.

You will find Croxone entirely different from other remedies. It is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it without results. An original package costs but a trifle, and all druggists are authorized to return the purchase price if it should fail in a single case.—ADY.

MERCANTILE TRUST CO. INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS

Savings Accounts

Dec. 5

Dec. 7.30

Save Accounts can be opened and deposits made by mail.

TRIED SEVEN DOCTORS

My Life Saved by Pe-runa

Mr. E. S. Johnson, of Elmo, Ill., writes: "I was for five years troubled with catarrh. Two years ago I had one foot in the grave. I tried seven doctors and went a considerable distance in St. Louis, and took several kinds of medicine a day. I did not walk more than a hundred yards without resting.

"My friends told me to take Pe-runa, and I did so. I now feel that Pe-runa has saved my life. It is the best medicine on earth, and I would not be without it."

Those who object to liquid medicine can now procure Pe-runa Tablets.

Ask Your Druggist for Free Pe-runa Lucky Day Almanac for 1914.

—ADY.

Good gloves are a liability most economical—buy

FOWNE'S GLOVES

See to the wind whistle—in a warm room and Board Directory.

INVESTOR GIVES HIS VERSION OF BROWNSVILLE DEAL

William E. Guy Says Syndicate Members Did Not Make 75 Per Cent.

WRITES TO POST-DISPATCH

Says Several Men in the Syndicate Were Opposed to Selling to Frisco.

Dec. 1, 1913.

Editor Post-Dispatch: Dear Sir—In view of the continued statements in the Post-Dispatch and other papers regarding the profits made by the Brownsville syndicate in the sale of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railroad to the Frisco, and believing that the facts as set forth by yourself and others do not give to the public a true understanding of the matter, I, not as an original subscriber to the Brownsville syndicate, but as a subsequent purchaser of its certificates, respectfully ask that you permit me, through space in your columns, to state in detail what was done and just what was received by me from my investment in the Brownsville Syndicate.

The Brownsville Railroad was chartered June 30, 1903, to build a line of railway from a point near Houston, Tex., to Brownsville, Tex., on the Mexican frontier, through a practically undeveloped country. At this time the Frisco was owned, through stock ownership, by the Rock Island interests, which interests it was generally believed were inimical to further extensions of the Frisco, and no member of the syndicate was a director in the Rock Island, with the possible exception of Mr. Yokum, and I believe that he was elected at a later date.

For six years the syndicate pushed the construction of the railroad and the development of the country through which it passed, and during this time it bought and sold lands, located townships in which streets were laid out, sewers and waterworks were constructed, hotels and other buildings erected and a general scheme of development pursued. During this time and in the course of this work the syndicate expended \$3,600,000 collected directly from its subscribers, in addition to which it expended \$5,727,323.38 which it had borrowed, making a total of \$9,327,323.38, which the syndicate had expended on the property of \$9,700,000.

In the year 1909, for fear of proceedings by the Department of Justice of the United States, under the Sherman act, against the Rock Island-Frisco merger, as it may be termed, the Rock Island interests decided to sell and dispose of the Frisco. A group of individuals, under the leadership of Mr. Yokum, reached an agreement with them to purchase the Frisco stock at \$75.00 per share, and the syndicate was approached on the sale of the Brownsville road, which was then sold to the Frisco for \$11,327,323.38.

On Dec. 2, 1909, the Railroad Commission of Texas valued the Brownsville road, appurtenances and equipment at \$16,768,355.01, but at this time the mileage and equipment of the following branches—Blossington-Port O'Connor, 7.7 miles; Simpsonville-College Port, 7.3 miles, and Brownsville-College Port, a total of 64.5 miles—were not included, and of June 20, 1911, the Texas Railroad Commission increased its valuation of the road and branches to \$11,749,855.

In the offer made to the syndicate for its property it was understood as a necessary part of the transaction that the syndicate subscribers accept in payment for the property cash to the extent of their principal and the balance, being all of their interest and profit, in Frisco stock at \$75.00 per share.

Several of the larger syndicate participants were, to my certain knowledge, adverse to the sale to the Frisco because of a belief on their part that the property could be sold to advantage to stronger interests.

To indicate the growth of the country traversed by the Brownsville road under the wise and progressive policy of development projected by the syndicate managers, the railway's transportation revenue increased from \$253,331 gross per mile in 1909 to \$522,330 gross in 1912. Had the road been properly maintained to economically operate while under Frisco management these earnings would have been more than sufficient to take care of the charges on the property today.

This briefly is a resume of the Brownsville syndicate enterprise. Now, as to its profits, which have been repeatedly stated as being 75 per cent on the investment.

Let us look at it from the investment viewpoint. The total investment of the syndicate, including money borrowed, was \$9,700,753.38 and on this sum it realized from the sale, distributing the profit over a period of six years, a net return per year, without interest, to the subscriber of approximately 5.17 per cent on the investment.

The total amount of money actually invested by the syndicate itself was \$2,800,000. On this they realized, the sale of all lands and the railroad, a profit of \$3,010,923.38, assuming that all cash had been received instead of Frisco stock. This profit distributed over a period of six years yielded \$501,503.90 per year without interest, which is equivalent to 12.5 per cent per annum on the investment without interest. Do you, sir, consider this an abnormal profit? Is not any industrial enterprise entitled to this return on its money? Is it not even reasonable to suggest that the management of a successful newspaper would not consider such a return on its investment as excessive? And in neither of these is the risk of like proportions to that undertaken in the building of a railroad in an undeveloped country.

Yours very truly, WILLIAM E. GUY.

DO ALL YOUR XMAS SHOPPING AT THE BIG STORE

Schaper Bros.

We Give and Redeem Star Trading Stamps

Entire Block on Washington Av.

50c Women's Fleece Union Suits. In black and peeler color; a good, substantial, fleeced garment; very special (Main Floor)..... 25c

25c Women's Fleece Vests and Pants. A nice, clean, bleached fleeced garment; very special. 9c

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A COAT SALE AT THE BIG STORE



5000 Women's and Misses' Fancy Winter Coats. 1/2 and 1/3 Their Value

More coats than you ever saw at one time in your life. The entire Third Floor is given over for this stupendous sale. Women's and misses' plain and fancy Winter Coats of many different models, materials and colors. Our cash offers to several of New York's most gifted coat manufacturers during the warm spell were accepted. This is an opportunity you cannot afford to pass up. Don't fail to attend and get your share of these wonderful bargains. All sizes from 14 to 48.

3000 in this lot in 50 new styles. Women's and misses' sizes. Plain and fancy models; suitable for street or evening. Skinner's guaranteed satin and equally as good linings are used; handsome silk frogs and fancy buttons; genuine fur collars and cuffs; graceful cutaways in three-quarter and full lengths; the new kimono sleeves; shirred, draped or gathered back and other features found in high-priced garments; in materials of silk plush, broadcloth, tulle, lamb, broadcloth, boucle, chinchilla, astrakhan and fancy wool mixtures; you may choose of this lot Wednesday at the low price of.....

\$5

25c Genuine Joissette. Name stamped on sleeve; fine soft silk finish; launders perfectly; good desirable color; suitable for tailored waists, negligees, etc.; while 500 yards left; no phone or mail orders; special..... 7c

50c Coat Sets. 50 dozen Coat Sets: a very fine quality; round in square, come in square, effect; consisting of: Platen, net and lawn; come in navy and white and are for our holiday sale..... 25c

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Please Shop Early

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Twelve "Shop-Early" Specials

\$22.50 Rockers, \$16.75

Genuine leather Turkish Rockers—roomy, good looking and well constructed, at just a little above the cost of imitation leather. (Sixth Floor.)

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In fact, what we predicted would be the premier Coat event of many seasons is proving to be just that.

We Made the Most Stupendous Single Purchase Ever Made by Any St. Louis Concern in One Line—3000 Coats!

The purchase was a stupendous one, and the results are proportionate.

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\$5 for Women's \$8.50 to \$10.95 Winter Coats

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\$10 for Women's \$19.75 to \$24.75 Winter Coats

\$15 for Women's \$29.75 to \$39.75 Winter Coats

Materials—Pebble eponges, astrakhans, Persianers, boucles, Womboc chinchillas, plain-back chinchillas, wool velours, plushes, imported novelty mixtures, duvetynes, broadcloths and fur fabrics.

And remember, these are Coats of splendid tailoring—many of them lined throughout with beau de cygne or satin. Others are half or yoke-lined.

There are Coats in all sizes in every price group and for practically every occasion. On account of the enormous proportions of this purchase—3000 Coats—the collection has been divided into four price-groups.

\$5 and \$7.50 Lots Are on Sale in the Basement, and the \$10 and \$15 Lots Are on Sale on Third Floor

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Toilets—An Interesting Wednesday Sale

Presenting Many Articles Under-Price Which Are Quite

Appropriate for Gift Giving

35c bottle Peroxide of Hydrogen, quart size.

Kirk's Juvenile Soap—box of three cakes, special at \$1

Coty's La Rose Jacquemont, L'Oregon or L'Effluet Face Powder, 98c box

Coty's L'Oregon Face Powder, in fancy cut bottle, special at \$2.75 to \$4.75

Hudnut's Gardenia Face Powder, in satin lined box, special at \$2.75 to \$4.75

Hudnut's exquisite Rose Face Powder, in fancy cut bottle, \$2.25 and \$4.50 bottle

Mary Garden Face Powder—two-ounce bottle, in red satin box—\$4 kind, \$2.50

Rickacker's Golf Queen, Tiara Lilacs of Violet Incarnate Toilet Water, 75c bottle

Bradley's Rose Malt Perfume, two-ounce bottle in dainty pink box, \$2.50

Bradley's Perfumes in fancy boxes, 25c and 50c

Brise d'Orient Face Powder, all tints, \$2.50 box

Fiver's Vegetal—in all odors, 60c

25c Wool Powder Puffs, 10c

50c Jar Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, special at 35c

Rubber lined Wash Cloth Case and Wash Bag, 19c

Rubber lined Tourist Case in satin stripe, flowered and plain cretonne, three or four compartments, 50c

32 rubber lined Tourist Aprons, \$1.25

Solid back, real ebony Military Brushes, ten rows genuine bristles, \$1.98 pr.

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President Wilson Tells Congress Huerta Regime Is Soon to Pass

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The several treaties of arbitration awaiting renewal by the Senate. In addition to these, it has been the privilege of the Department of State to gain the assent, in principle, of no less than 21 nations, representing four-fifths of the population of the world, to the negotiations of treaties by which it shall be agreed that wherever differences of interest or of policy arise which cannot be resolved by the ordinary processes of diplomacy, they shall be publicly analyzed, discussed and reported upon by a tribunal chosen by the parties before either nation determines its course of action.

There is only one possible standard by which to determine controversies between the United States and other nations, and that is compounded of two elements: Our own honor and our obligations to the peace of the world. A test so compounded might easily be made to govern both the establishment of new treaty obligations and the interpretation of those already assumed. (The President here took up the Mexican situation in the words given in another column.)

Is Confident Senate Will Push Through Currency Bill

I turn to matters of domestic concern. You already have under consideration a bill for the reform of our system of banking and currency, for which the country waits with impatience, as for something fundamental to its whole business life and necessary to set credit free from arbitrary and artificial restraints. I need not say how earnestly I hope for its early enactment into law. I take leave to say that the whole energy and attention of the Senate be concentrated upon it till the matter is successfully disposed of. And yet I feel that the request is not needed—that the members of that great House need no urging in this service to the country.

Right of Farmer to a Fuller Share in Nation's Advantages

I present to you, in addition, the urgent necessity that special provision be made also for facilitating the credit needed by the farmers of the country. The pending currency bill does the farmers a great service. It puts them upon an equal footing with other business men and masters of enterprise, as it should; and upon its passage they will find themselves quit of many of the difficulties which now hamper them in the field of credit. The farmers, of course, ask and should be given no special privilege, such as extending to them the credit of the Government itself. What they need and should obtain is legislation which will make their own abundant and substantial

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credit resources available as a foundation for joint, concerted local action in their own behalf in getting the capital they must use. It is to this we should now address ourselves.

It has, singularly enough, come to pass that we have allowed the industry of our farms to lag behind the other activities of the country in its development. I need not stop to tell you how fundamental to the life of the Nation is the production of its food. Our thoughts may ordinarily be concentrated upon the cities and the hives of industry, upon the cries of the crowded market place and the clangor of the factory, but it is from the quiet interstices of the open valleys and the free hill-sides that we draw the sources of life and of prosperity, from the farm and the ranch, from the forest and the mine. Without these every street would be silent, every office deserted, every factory to make into dust. And yet the farmer does not stand upon the same footing with the forester and the miner in the market of credit. He is the servant of the seasons. Nature determines how long he must wait for his crops, and will not be hurried in her processes. He may give his note, but the season of its maturity depends upon the season when his crop matures, lies at the gates of the market and the hillsides are sold. And the security he gives is of a character not known in the broker's office or as familiarly as it might be on the counter of the banker.

Agricultural Credits of the European Countries Studied

The Agricultural Department of the Government is seeking to assist as never before in making an efficient business, of wide co-operative effort, in quick touch with the markets for food-stuffs. The farmers and the Government will henceforth work together as real partners in this field, where we now begin to see our way very clearly and where many intelligent plans are already being put into execution. The Treasury of the United States has, by a timely and well-considered distribution of its deposits, facilitated the moving of the crops in the present season and prevented the scarcity of available funds too often experienced at such times. But we must not allow ourselves to depend upon extraordinary expedients. We must add the means by which the farmer may make his credit constantly and easily available and command when he will the capital by which to support and expand his business. We lag behind many other great countries of the modern world in attempting to do this. Systems of rural credit have been studied and developed on the other side of the water while we left our farmers to shift for themselves in the ordinary credit market. It would be to look about you in any rural district to see the result, the handicap and embarrassment which have been put upon those who produce our food.

Conscious of this backwardness and neglect on our part, the Congress recently authorized the creation of a special commission to study the various systems of rural credit which have been put into operation in Europe, and this commission is already prepared to report. Its report ought to make it easier for us to determine what methods will be best suited to our own farmers. I hope and believe that the committees of the Senate and House will address themselves to this matter with the most fruitful results, and I believe that the studies and recently formed plans of the Department of Agriculture may be made to serve them very greatly in their work of framing appropriate and adequate legislation. It would be indiscreet and presumptuous in anyone to dogmatize upon so great and many-sided a question, but I feel confident that common counsel will produce the results we must all desire.

Message on Sherman Law and its 'Debatable Ground'

Turn from the farm to the world of business which centers in the city and in the factory, and I think that all thoughtful observers will agree that the immediate service we owe the business communities of the country is to prevent private monopoly more effectually than it has yet been prevented. I think it will be easily agreed that we should let the Sherman anti-trust law stand, unaltered, as it is, with its debatable ground about it, but that we should as much as possible reduce the area of that debatable ground by further and more explicit legislation; and should also supplement that great act by legislation which will not only clarify it, but also facilitate its administration and make it fair to all concerned. No doubt we shall all wish, and the country will expect, this to be the central subject of our deliberations during the present session; but it is a subject of many-sided and so deserving of careful and discriminating discussion that I shall take the liberty of addressing you upon it in a special message at a later date than this. It is of capital importance that the business men of this country should be relieved of all uncertainties of law with regard to their enterprises and investments and a clear path indicated which they can travel without anxiety. It is as important that they should be relieved of embarrassment and set free to prosper as that private monopoly should be destroyed. The ways of action should be thrown wide open.

Federal Primary Favored; Conventions for Platform

I turn to a subject which I hope can be handled promptly and without serious controversy of any kind. I mean the method of selecting nominees for the presidency of the United States. I feel confident that I do not misinterpret the wishes or the expectations of the country when I urge the prompt enactment of legislation which will provide for primary elections throughout the country at which the voters of the several parties may choose their nominees for the presidency without the inter-

vention of nominating conventions. By their counsel and experience, rather than by our own, we shall learn how best to serve them and how soon it will be no less to the advantage of those who administer the railroads of the country than to the advantage of those whom they employ. The experience of a large number of the States abundantly proves that.

On Opening the Door of Alaska, and Giving It Rights

A duty faces us with regard to Alaska which seems to me very pressing and very imperative; perhaps I should say a double duty, for it concerns both the political and the material development of the territory. The people of Alaska, like the people of the other territories of government, and Alaska, as a storehouse, should be unlocked. One key to it is a system of railways. The Government should itself build and administer, and the ports and terminals it should itself control in the interest of all who wish to use them for the service and development of the country and its people.

But the construction of railways is only the first step, but not the last, in the key to the storehouse and throwing back the lock and opening the door. How the tempting resources of the country are to be exploited is another matter, to which I shall take the liberty of from time to time calling your attention, for it is a policy which must be worked out by well-considered stages, not upon theory, but upon lines of practical expediency. It is part of our general problem of conservation. We have a freer hand in working out the problem in Alaska than in the states of the Union; and yet the principle and object are the same, wherever we touch it.

We must use the resources of the country, not look them up. There need be no conflict or jealousy as between state and Federal authorities, for there can be no essential difference of purpose between them. The resources in question must be used, but not monopolized upon any narrow idea of individual rights as against the abiding interests of communities. That a policy can be worked out by conference and concession which will release these resources and yet not jeopard or dissipate them, for one has no doubt; and it can be done on lines of regulation which need be no less acceptable to the people and governments of the states concerned than to the people and Government of the nation at large, whose heritage these resources are. We must bend our counsel to this end. A common purpose ought to make agreement easy.

On Safety at Sea, Employers' Liability, Bureau of Mines

Three or four matters of special importance and significance I beg that you will permit me to mention in closing. Our Bureau of Mines ought to be equipped and empowered to render even more effectual service than it renders now in improving the conditions of mine labor and making the mines more economically productive as well as more safe. This is an all-important part of the work of conservation; and the conservation of human life and energy lies even nearer to our interest than the preservation from waste of our material resources.

We owe it, in mere justice to the railway employees of the country, to pro-

vide for them a fair and effective employers' liability act; and a law that we can stand by in this matter will be no less to the advantage of those who administer the railroads of the country than to the advantage of those whom they employ. The experience of a large number of the States abundantly proves that.

We ought to devote ourselves to meeting pressing demands of plain justice like this as earnestly as to the accomplishment of political and economic reforms. Social justice comes first. Law is the machinery for its realization and is vital only as it expresses and embodies it.

An international congress for the discussion of all questions that affect safety at sea is now sitting in London at the suggestion of our own Government. So soon as the conclusions of that congress can be learned and considered we ought to address ourselves, among other things, to the prompt alleviation of the very unsafe, unjust and burdensome conditions which now surround the employment of sailors and render it extremely difficult to obtain the services of spirited and competent men such as every ship needs if it is to be safely handled and brought to port.

May I not express the very real pleasure I have experienced in co-operating

with this Congress and sharing with it the labors of common service to which it has devoted itself so unreservedly during the past seven months of unobtrusive concentration upon the business of legislation? Surely it is a proper and pertinent part of my report on "The State of the Union" to express my admiration for the diligence, the good temper and the full comprehension of public duty which has already been manifested by both the houses; and I hope that it may not be deemed an impertinent intrusion of myself into the picture if I may with how much and how constant satisfaction I have availed myself of the privilege of putting my time and energy at their disposal alike in counsel and in action.

Will of W. J. Steinwender Filed.
The will of William J. Steinwender, who died Nov. 24 at his home, 618 Kingsbury place, was filed Monday in the Probate Court. He left nearly all of his estate to his second wife. Bequests of it each were left to his two daughters, one by his former marriage. The second Mrs. Steinwender was named executrix.

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Let us impress upon you the totally different nature of this extraordinary event. It is not a clearance sale nor an overstocked reduction of left-overs, but a sale of new apparel due to our exceptional good fortune in recent New York purchases, when we secured \$100,000 worth of the newest and best women's wear for \$54,000. Our saving is yours. Therefore, you may have, Wednesday, an almost unlimited choice of the newest and best mid-winter apparel for women, misses and girls at

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SOTHERN-MARLOWE "TAMING OF THE SHREW" ADMIRABLE

Two Stars at Their Best as Petruchio and Katherine in Lusty Old Farce.

By RIPLEY D. SAUNDERS.
The Southern and Marlowe performance of "Taming of the Shrew" at the Shubert Theater on Monday night advanced to its fullest development of the greatest example of pure, healthy farce-writing known to the literature of the English stage, it seemed to me that its two stars have never before in St. Louis played their respective roles of Petruchio and Katherine with so keen a relish and with such complete understanding of the realization and in the fine art of shrew humor and frank fun-making along the best lines of Shakespeare's own obvious intent.

The house was filled with a brilliant and distinguished audience of the will of Avon's faithful followers and their reception of Mr. Southern and Mrs. Marlowe convincingly indicated a firm assurance of certain delight in the evening's offering.

It may well be that the magnetic wave of congenial enthusiasm thus early sent across the footlights to the players on the other side of that dividing line of magic radiance had its instant effect as an immediate intensifying of Southern and Marlowe's own native gift for Shakespearean endeavor, stimulating them, and through them their supporting company, to the very highest and most perfect achievement.

At any rate, the result was as I have just intimated, and it has been many a year since I have seen so worthy a presentation of the lusty old play or so completely appreciative a response to its splendid spirit of devious spirit and wholly audacious practical joking, in which it stands as a model to the comedy-makers of all time.

The competition between the two stars, each admirably fitted with a part that places them at their best in their lighter Shakespearean essays, was in itself a charming and memorable exhibition. The Petruchio of Mr. Southern's playing was an illustration of the laughing mastery of an impetuous woman's rebellious will by a very masculine man who loved her throughout every moment of his chosen task of subduing her as one of the most brilliant of the Katherine of Southern's playing was as a young man's picture of a bit-tempered young gentleman's sure progress from the initial resistance of a touchingly and indignantly moored virgin soul to the sweet affection and willing obedience of a chastened yet utterly devoted woman.

It seemed to me that Mr. Southern was at his best in the two most sharply contrasted phases that develop during the progress of Petruchio's fulfillment of his virile task of "taming the shrew."

The first of these phases is encountered in that moment when one is made to perceive how swift and temperamental congenial is his response to the challenge of the impetuous Katherine, during him, as it were, to prosecute to the utmost his apparently rash and hopeless undertaking. An instant regard for the indomitable spirit of "Kate the Curst" leaps into the bold Petruchio's eyes, even though it is dominated and concealed the next moment by the rude bravado of the drastic policy upon which he has resolved as the medium of her taming. The second phase is confronted when, relentlessly, prevailing over Katherine in the home to which he has brought her almost in the seeming of a "Beldam bride," so to speak, Petruchio nevertheless makes plain the truth of his secret love for her, shyly kissing her hair, unknown to her, as he is, he hectoring behind her chair, kissing her little slippers and her stockings when she is out of the room, "in wooden clogs of glittering clausmance for a moment, revealing beyond all doubting that his husbandly passion for the shrew is all that the heart of woman could desire. These two phases of the greatly human old farce were potentially realized by Mr. Southern and never at any other time did he stand closer or more tenderly in the high regard of his vastly entertained audience.

Mrs. Marlowe, to my thinking, revealed her best art in the certainty of the early strokes of highly emphasized petulance and sudden and gusty temper with which she justified Katherine's full right to the title of the Shrew; in the almost incoherent rage and scorn with which she met and repulsed Petruchio's first and intentionally exaggerated assumption of mastery in her wooing; in the gradual breaking down, one by one, of her barriers of maidenly defense against this truly terrifying suitor in the sustained pluckiness or stubbornness, if you prefer, of her resistance to the "enemy," even after that enemy had become her bridegroom, and then in her final love for and surrender to her husband, forgiving to the full the discipline to which he has subjected her for her own good. Under the spell of this longer-sustained value of her Katherine than the Petruchio more truthfully drawn by Mr. Southern, I venture to say that it is Mrs. Marlowe, after all, who ultimately wins the higher honor of the performance, since though the race was between the two. And I believe I have never seen a house more genuinely thrilled by the reality of the comedy delivered by Katherine than that which was the fall of the last curtain.

TWO STARS OF GREAT "TAMING OF THE SHREW"



listening, rapt to the perfect diction and all-revealing appreciation with which Mrs. Marlowe voices that exquisite speech of wifely admonition. The supporting company proved excellently capable. Notable in the cast were William Harris as Baptista, father of Katherine and the gentle Bianca; Frederick Lewis as Lucentio, in love with the latter; George W. Wilson in the low-comedy role of Grumio, servant to Petruchio; Milano Tilden as Vincentio, Lucentio's father; John S. O'Brien and J. Sayre Crawley as Hortensio and Gremio, other suitors of Bianca; Lark Taylor and Walter Connolly as Tranio and Biandello, servants to Lucentio, and Helen Singer as Bianca, the latter role, however, being more heavily and emphatically played than is demanded by its essential spirit.

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Woman in Trunk Murder Suspect
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Augusta Benson, who killed her 12-year-old daughter, Frances Williams, last June, yesterday was pronounced insane, and committed to the insane hospital. The body of her daughter was found in a trunk at the railway station in Ogden.

Negro Held Up on Viaduct
Walter Lee, a negro, living at 2893 Bernard street, told the police that at 2 a. m. Tuesday he was stopped by three highwaymen on the Grand avenue viaduct. While one of them held a revolver to his head, the others searched him, he said. Lee had nothing for the robbers to take.

ST. LOUIS AUTOMOBILE DRIVER SAYS HE TALKED WITH FRIENDS ABOUT IT.

Mr. John Lowery Says He Is Not Sorry He Took His Friend's Advice About Plant Juice.

Among the friends of Plant Juice in St. Louis is Mr. John Lowery, who lives at 3029 Easton Avenue and who was raised in this city; he has lived here twenty-one years, which is practically all his life; he is an automobile driver of ability and is well known all over the city. He said: "I knew a good many people who were taking Plant Juice and I talked with some of them about what it had done for them and all seemed so pleased with it that I thought I would try it, too. I have been suffering from a very bad case of stomach trouble and needed something to help me. After eating I would blow up with gas, that caused me to belch a great deal, there was a feeling of fullness and weight in my stomach that was most distressing. I was tired all the time and was in a generally run-down condition when I began taking Plant Juice. The results have been fine and I am feeling better in every way. My stomach gives me no more trouble now and I feel alert and full of energy. It helped me so much that my mother and my uncle are both taking it now."

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GIRL CONVICTED WITH STEPFATHER OF SLAYING MAN

Shot Dying Sweetheart in Effort to Shield Relatives Who Wounded Him.

CROWLEY, La., Dec. 2.—Dora Murff, 18 years old, was found guilty of manslaughter and her stepfather, J. S. Duval, was convicted of first degree murder today. They were charged with the killing of J. M. Delhaye, Miss Duval's half-brother, who was acquitted. When the verdict was announced the slender, nervous girl, who had sought to take all responsibility for the killing, broke down. Delhaye was killed by a charge from a shotgun as he walked on the street here. Nearby was a carriage in which Miss Murff and the two Duvals were riding. The girl leaped to the dying man's side, shot him twice with a pistol and asserted she had killed him. It was on this statement that she sought to shield her kinsmen from blame and hoped to be freed on the "unwritten law" plea. The prosecution, however, introduced two witnesses who said they saw James Duval fire the shotgun, and it was proved this charge killed Delhaye.

Listen, Ladies—Get the Curable. Refuse to suffer and be disgraced longer. Moderate fees. 503 Holland Bldg.

Diamond Limit 1,000,000 Carats.
BERLIN, Dec. 2.—The Imperial Chancellor, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, has issued an order that the marketing of German diamonds in 1934 shall be restricted to 1,000,000 carats. The production in 1933 was approximately 1,400,000 carats.

McKELVEY IGNORED BILLBOARD LAW ON ADVICE OF BAIRD

City Counselor Admits He Ordered Inaction to Give Companies Time to Obtain New Act.

City Counselor William E. Baird assumed responsibility Tuesday for the continued suspension of the billboard ordinance of 1905, after Building Commissioner James A. Smith declared it would be policy to allow illegal billboards to remain and to make no attempt to collect \$400,000 of estimated back licenses, until Baird instructed him to.

The city was restrained for eight years from collecting license fees or removing illegal billboards, by an injunction suit carried from the Circuit Court to the United States Supreme Court. The suit hung in the Supreme Court for two years without action, and was dismissed a few weeks ago by the billboard companies, their officials preferring to attempt legislative amendments in the Municipal Assembly rather than submit the case to the court on its merits.

Baird Advises Inaction.
City Counselor Baird told a Post-Dispatch reporter he agreed with Attorney Bishop and Cobbs of the billboard companies, and had advised the Building Commissioner to ignore the 1905 ordinance for a reasonable time to give the companies a chance to have amendments passed.

There is every prospect of a controversy in the Assembly that will keep the proposed amendments hanging for months and possibly years, judging by past experience in similar matters. At the beginning of the regular session in October, a bill drafted by the billboard companies was introduced in Council, and later withdrawn for a second bill introduced at their request Nov. 11 by Councilman Paul R. Fletcher. Last week three bills of the same general purport were offered by Building Commissioner McKelvey through Councilman Henry Rower, and these measures will be the subject of a public hearing at 3 p. m. Tuesday.

Civic League to Protest.
Civic League officials, fearing the 1905 ordinance, will protest against the McKelvey bills and the one emanating directly from the billboard companies, on the ground that they are identical in essentials, and if adopted, would protect all the evils aimed at in the 1905 ordinance.

More than half the existing billboards are said to be in violation of the existing ordinance, and could be removed by McKelvey at once. Former Building Commissioner James A. Smith, McKelvey's predecessor, prepared to raise these illegal boards in 1931 following a decision by the Missouri Supreme Court upholding the validity of the 1905 ordinance, but an appeal to the United States Supreme Court on a writ of error, restrained him.

Joseph D. Howe, who never was attorney of record for the billboard companies while the injunction suit was being pushed, was retained as counsel when the companies decided to make a fight in the local legislative body. Howe has attempted to nullify some of the opposition to amendments protecting the existing illegal bill boards, but has had no success in his negotiating with Civic League officials.

Howe Buys Female McKelvey.
Building Commissioner McKelvey denied Monday to a reporter that Howe had drafted the bills which were introduced in his name, or that Howe had conferred with him about the contents of the bills he offers.

McKelvey, when questioned about the provisions of the bills he said he drafted, was at sea regarding some of them. He said his measures did not permit bill boards of indefinite length, and that they provide for a 2-foot space between boards at every 50 feet.

As a matter of fact, Council Bill 290, relating to bill boards, introduced by Rower at request of McKelvey, does not restrict the length of a bill board and would sanction the long bill boards now used by the companies in violation of the 1905 ordinance.

McKelvey told a reporter that he was not going to enforce the billboard law against the numerous illegal boards until Councilor Baird instructed him to. There is no provision in either the charter or code that contemplates the suspension of laws by officials charged with their enforcement, at the instance of the law department or any other branch of the Government, except the courts.

McKelvey would have no objection to the suspension of the law, but he contemplates the suspension of laws by officials charged with their enforcement, at the instance of the law department or any other branch of the Government, except the courts. The essential difference between the McKelvey bills and the company bills, is that McKelvey adopts an area basis of license, while the company bills set the limit on the number of bill boards. McKelvey proposes slightly higher fees than the company, but neither proposes more than 25 per cent of the fee provided in the 1905 ordinance.

When the 1905 ordinance, with or without amendment, is enforced, it will be a question whether the companies are liable for back licenses during the eight years they resisted the law. McKelvey said he was unable to furnish statistics as to the exact amount that should have been collected on existing billboards in the eight years. Records were kept of all billboards by his predecessor, and he has kept record of new boards erected, McKelvey says, but is not informed as to the number of boards that have been removed from time to time.

Lost Fees, Estimated at \$400,000.
It is roughly estimated by some that the companies evaded more than \$400,000 of license fees to the city in eight years, as a result of their legal contest. The assessment of the lost revenue to date has been a positive advantage to the companies instead of a stringent regulation, because it has been suspended by a drawn-out battle in court, and the decision of McKelvey not to enforce the law until directed to do so by Baird, after the court obstacles were removed.

The companies operating in St. Louis are the Thomas Cusack Co., popularly known as the "Billboard Trust," and the St. Louis Bill Posting Co.

School Response After Smallpox Scare.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 2.—The Benton School, closed a week ago, because of a mild smallpox epidemic, has reopened today. The 200 pupils who returned to their classes, were forced to pass in review before a school physician to show they were vaccinated.

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The other members of the jury are: John S. Bronson, 922 North Newstead avenue; Thomas G. Getty, 486 Lotus avenue; George H. Capen, 4926 McPherson avenue; Clarence L. Kilmer, 4311 Washington boulevard; Sebastian Kierman, 2801 St. Vincent avenue; Max Kotany, 4384 Westminister place; John P. Martens, 3009 Geyer avenue; Amadeo V. Heyburn, 434 Lindell boulevard; George W. Thro, 1204 Bird avenue; Carl Phillips, 2720 Humphrey street, and Hugo F. Unhauer, 210 North Sarah street.

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FORMER DIPLOMAT TWICE ATTEMPTS TO END HIS LIFE

By Associated Press.
HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 2.—The patient in the Harrisburg hospital who twice tried to end his life has been identified as Rowland B. Mahany of Buffalo, N. Y.
He was taken to the hospital Friday night suffering from poisoning and gave the name of Charles Brown. He recovered and Saturday attempted to cut his throat.

NEGRO PRISONER SHOTS MARSHAL AT CRYSTAL CITY

Charles Cross, night Marshal at Crystal City, Mo., was shot and dangerously wounded by Marsh Field, a negro, whom he had arrested, Monday night.
Field had pointed a revolver at a bartender in the section of Crystal City known as Old Tom Town. Cross entered the saloon and disarmed the negro and started with him to the jail.
On the way the negro tried to break away from the Marshal. In the struggle Cross dropped his revolver. The negro picked it up and shot Cross.
The bullet entered the Marshal's neck. Field fled, taking the Marshal's revolver. Cross was taken to his home.

TEN DROWNED AS HOMES ARE SWEEPED AWAY IN TEXAS

Belton, Tex., Dec. 2.—Ten persons were reported to have perished in a 20-foot wave which came without warning down Nolan Creek before daylight. The creek runs through the center of this city.
Fifty houses along the creek's banks in Belton were swept away. In the heart of the town Mrs. W. C. Polk and her four children were caught while asleep in their home, and drowned. Polk, carrying the fifth child, an infant, escaped to high ground.
Five fatalities—a man, his wife and three children—were reported.
When the Main street bridge in Temple, Tex., was demolished by the wave an unidentified man was on the structure. He was seen to go into the water. It is believed he perished.
The creek's rise was the result of a downpour of four hours' duration.

MAN WITH WHITE PANCAKE HAT IS SOUGHT AS SLAYER

He Was Seen Near Where Contractor Was Robbed of \$200 and Killed.
STABLE SCENE OF CRIME
John Meister, Teaming Employer, Beaten Four Times With Gas Pipe.
A white pancake hat is the chief distinguishing mark of a man for whom the Missouri District police hunt. The mysterious murder of John Meister, 50 years old, a teaming contractor, of 118 Victoria avenue, Meister was robbed of nearly \$200 before daylight Monday in the stable behind his home, and was so beaten with a gaspipe that he died at the city hospital in the afternoon.
The man wearing the white pancake hat was seen about the neighborhood early Monday, before the attack on Meister had become generally known. He is described by those who saw him as being 25 to 30 years old, smooth shaven, 5 feet 8 inches in height, weighing 150 pounds, and wearing a blue serge suit.
"Former Employee Sought."
Two men, one a negro, who formerly were employed by Meister as teamsters, and who lately had been back to seek employment from him, were held for questioning by the police. Neither was seen about the neighborhood at the time of the killing, so far as the police have made known.
Meister used his teams in grading and filling work, and frequently carried large sums of money to pay his teamsters. It was his habit to get up at 4:30 a. m. and go to the stable to feed his horses.
After a m. Meister's stepson, Arnold Licklider, went to the stable to call him to breakfast, and found Meister unconscious, holding a measure, which, it is apparent, he had been about to fill from a sack of oats.
Meister had been struck four times on the head with a gas pipe, which lay on the floor. A wooden cap, which Meister had worn on leaving the house, lay beside the oak sack. It appeared that at least one blow had been struck while he was wearing the cap.
The left trousers pocket, in which Meister carried his money, was turned inside out. Other pockets were empty. Meister is survived by his wife, his stepson and his daughter, who is 18 years old.

NICHOLLS WEDDING FOLLOWS DIVORCE. JUDGE INDIGNANT

Wurdeman Would Consider Motion to Set Aside Decree Granted Nine Days Ago.
Nine days after obtaining a divorce at Clayton Charles C. Nicholls Jr. of 5633 Kingsburg place, a real estate dealer, was married Monday evening to Miss Estelle Sargers, daughter of W. H. Sargers of 6027 McPherson avenue.
The Rev. W. J. Williamson performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's father, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholls then departed for Chicago.
Nicholls' first wife, whom he divorced Nov. 22, was Katherine Ayrault of Boston. She did not contest his suit though she was represented in court by attorneys.
Judge Wurdeman of the Clayton Circuit Court, who granted the divorce, said Tuesday that he was surprised and chagrined when he learned that Nicholls had married again.
"Such acts are unfair to the Court and should be frowned upon," said the Judge. "Missouri should have a law like that of Illinois which forbids divorced persons to marry within a year after the decree is granted."
Judge Wurdeman said he would take no action of his own motion, but that if the former Mrs. Nicholls or her attorneys should move to have Nicholls' divorce set aside he would consider the motion. He said a divorce decree may be set aside by a judge at any time before the expiration of the term of court in which it was granted.
Nicholls obtained his divorce on his testimony that his wife no longer cared for him, and had shown it in various ways.
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HERO ATTACKS "VILLAIN" AND GOES TO HOSPITAL

Husband Refuses to Give Name of Man Who Asked Wife to Dance Tango.

Henry Stahlhuth of 39 Hickory street played hero in a rehearsal drama at the ball given Monday night at Thirtieth street and Chouteau avenue by the Moving Picture Operators' Union, of which he is a member. His wife, Mrs. Esther Stahlhuth, was the leading lady, and the part of the villain was played by another operator, whose identity was concealed from the police.
The Stahlhuths were departing from the hall at 3:45 a. m., and Mrs. Stahlhuth was walking a few feet ahead of her husband. The villain, the "villain" who was smoking a cigarette, he whispered into her ear.
The hero quickened his pace and, clutching the heroine's arm, demanded to know what the "villain" had said to her. Mrs. Stahlhuth replied that she had been requested to remain long enough to dance one more tango.
Exchanging angry glances, Stahlhuth and the villain approached each other with closed fists, and before Mrs. Stahlhuth could beg them not to commit murder on her account each had struck the other in the face. Stahlhuth fell and the "villain" fled. Stahlhuth was taken to the city hospital, where it was found he had a lacerated scalp. When asked by the police if he would prosecute his assailant Stahlhuth said he would not. He would not even give the "villain's" name.

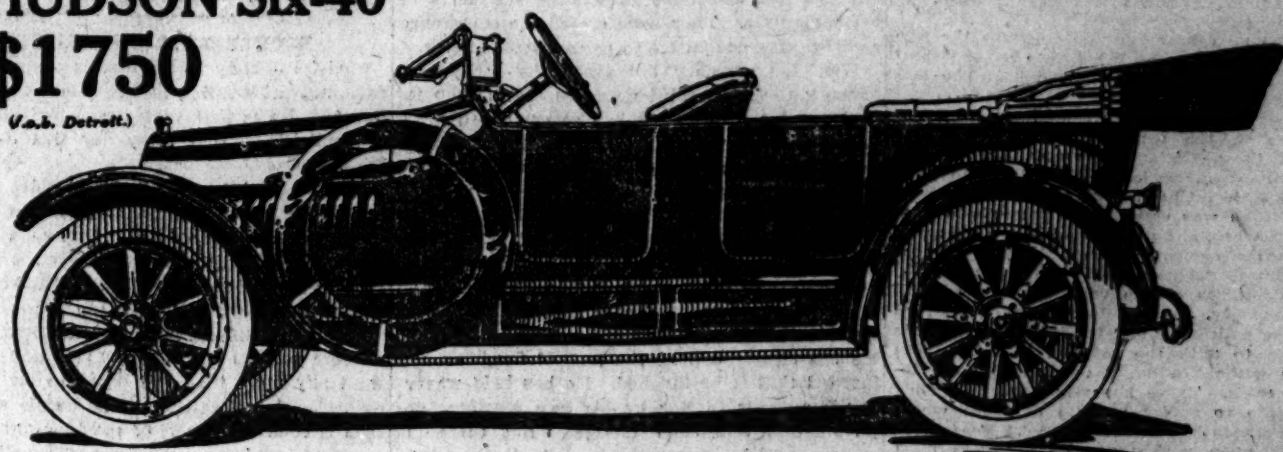
WOMAN TAKES WOOD ALCOHOL AND MERCURY

Mistakes Mixture for Whisky, Which She Intends to Swallow With Castor Oil.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hines, 30 years old, of 2723 Armand place, wanted to take a dose of castor oil in whisky Monday night. She poured a tablespoonful of the oil in a whisky glass and then went to a shelf to get the whisky. Taking down a flask she poured two tablespoonfuls of its contents into the glass with the oil. After swallowing the mixture she discovered that she had taken wood alcohol and bichloride of mercury which had been dissolved in the alcohol for a disinfectant.
While her husband was searching for a physician Mrs. Hines swallowed three raw eggs and relieved her condition considerably before the doctor arrived. She was sent to the city hospital.

Newboy Run Down by Auto.
Stephen O'Connor, a newboy, 12 years old, of 2215 Vista avenue, was knocked down Monday afternoon, when he attempted to cross the street in front of 215 Park avenue, by an automobile driven by Frederick H. Weber of 225 Magnolia avenue. He received several cuts and bruises. He was taken home.

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This is the Cabriolet—a new type of roadster—completely enclosed for winter. Price \$1950.

ment and upholstery accord with the latest ideals. Up to six months ago there was no car at any price which offered so many attractions.

Yet the price is \$1,750 f.o.b. Detroit. It will open your eyes to see what a car can be sold at that modest price.

Come, Ride in It

Come and find out what luxury of motion one gets in this ideal Six. Note the smoothness, the flexibility, the quick acceleration, the total lack of vibration. Note how slow you can go, how quickly pick up, and what grades you can climb without changing from high gear. You will never again be happy with a Four.



This is the same Cabriolet, with the top and side windows down.

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WAKING UP TILFELD

By H. M. EGBERT.

HERE were—let me see, there were Cousin Jasper, Haynes, Cousin Maria, Haynes, Cousin Thomas and Samantha, Biggs, Lucy and Paul, myself, not to mention Grandpa and Grandma Chittenden. They lived in Washington, but for rest of us inhabited Tilfeld.

Grandpa Chittenden was a Civil War pensioner, and in the middle part of his incredibly long life he had found oil, I believe. Anyway, he was reputed to be rich, rich enough to make all his grandsons and great-granddaughters, which means Lucy, wealthy for life. And he was 87 years old, and Grandma 85.

Tilfeld was not the place that one would choose to live in. It was a little New England town, very Sabbatharian, no-license, amateur fire brigade—you know the style. Some folks might like it, of course, but, frankly, we Hayneses and Biggses and the rest of us lived there because we had been born there, and we were too poor to move away.

That is, til Grandpa died. Every year each of us would receive a letter from him on the anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg, in which he lost a leg. "I'm growing very feeble," he would say, "and so is my dear wife. I hardly hope to survive the coming winter. God bless you, my dear Paul, Lucy, Samantha, Jasper, Thomas or Maria, as the case might be. The letters hardly varied. We used to compare them to see if one was more affectionate than the others, but we never found anything much to build our hopes upon."

Cousin Jasper wanted enough money to settle in Florida and grow oranges. Cousin Maria wanted a few thousand, more or less, to buy a home in California. Cousin Biggs was thinking of a tour in Europe. Lucy and Paul wanted to get married. As for me, I was the only one who didn't want anything.

We had reckoned that there ought to be at least \$10,000 apiece, and some of us were getting on in years and anxious to see the last of Tilfeld. Lucy was 27 and Paul two years older. On why did Grandpa Chittenden hang on so?

Then an amazing thing happened. A brief letter came to each of us informing us that Grandpa and Grandma were going to pay us a visit during the summer. He wrote that they would spend a day or so with each of us. You can guess what a sprucing up there was. Tom and Samantha, Biggs fitted up a bedroom on the ground floor, so that the old folks wouldn't have to walk up stairs. Jasper had linoleum put down, so that Grandpa's wooden leg wouldn't scratch the floor, and Maria went him one better. She bought a big, comfortable chair, which she christened "Grandpa's chair," for the old gentleman to

Mrs. Harold Gorst Adores the American Man Because He Is a "Big, Splendid Brute"



By Marguerite Moore Marshall.

LAST the American man has been "understood." His beauty, his brains, his conversational powers, his talents as lover and husband, even his freedom from conceit, have been publicly proclaimed, and by such a charming herald. She is Mrs. Harold Gorst, who has been called the most beautiful woman in London, and who for years has won success in the triple role of novelist, playwright and society woman. But I venture to predict that her greatest fame will come to her for her most recent discovery—that the American man is a perfect blend of all the qualities of all the best-selling heroes. What a pity we never knew it before!

"The one complaint that I have to make against him," she ardently assured me, "is that he is so hard to find. He seems to be always in that mysterious business world, making money to lavish on his beautiful wife. When I was here a few years ago for my first visit I was entertained charmingly at luncheon and teas. But not a man was to be seen! And yet American men are perfectly delightful. I like them much better than Englishmen. I should like to see so much more of them. If only there were not such difficulty in finding them!"

A pause for tragic emphasis and for tears. We were 5 o'clocking with Mrs. Simeon Ford, the wife of the humorist. When Mrs. Ford recently returned from the London production of her play, "The Mist," she brought Mrs. Gorst back with her for an autumn visit at her charming country home.

But in a moment—supreme test of British sincerity—Mrs. Gorst was neglecting her tea for my countrymen.

"The American man is a big, splendid brute, and that is why I adore him! He is much better looking than the Englishman. The American has a superb figure, tall and broad of shoulder and deep of chest. His face is lean and bronzed, with high, Indian cheek bones and a jaw that goes out and not in. He looks the man, every inch of him. The Englishman is degenerating into the pretty-boy type. I am so tired of his pink cheeks."

Mrs. Gorst's brown eyes flashed a continuous current of exclamation points. She is beautiful undoubtedly, and in what is to me a strangely un-English way. For her hair is even darker than her eyes, her skin is a clear olive, her face shows the rounded oval of a woman of Southern Europe. Her voice is English in its throaty sweetness, but

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she has a rapid-fire enunciation rarely found outside the Latin peoples. Finally, she is spilling over with psychical electricity, of which the average English woman or man has about as much as a cold boiled potato.

"There is a certain sort of Englishman who unfortunately insists on being present at our teas, and of whom we'd be glad to rid ourselves if we could," she continued. "He's the thing I believe you call a 'tame cat' in America. You see him in Somerset Maugham's plays. He creeps softly around from one woman's house to another, and he is so horribly polite! He calls you 'dear lady' and you loathe him for it! Now I have never heard an American call a woman 'dear lady.' He does call her a 'sweet girl' sometimes, but that's different."

"Also he calls her 'chicken,'" I suggested, but Mrs. Gorst only laughed.

"I do like the manners of the American man," she rushed on. "It is so enjoyable being with him because he always makes me feel that I am perfectly helpless. Now, I'm not helpless. I can do things for myself. But when I'm with a man I like to feel that he wants to do everything for me."

"The American man does not devote his conversation to Culture with a capital C. But if his wife would cease becoming his lack of interest in chamber concerts and esthetic lectures, and if she would try to see the romance and the fascination of his work, she would not find boredom in his society."

"As for you, my dear, you approve of our methods of love making?" I inquired, with some hesitation. Would a respectable British matron care to dilate upon the American Romeo, even through her husband had remained in London?

She would. She did.

"Oh, that I might be made love to by an American man!" she exclaimed with twinkling eyes. "How I should adore it! Englishmen are no good at making love. When they're clever and graceful they simply wonder how many times they've been there before. When they get stiff and awkward and unable to talk—well, I get stiff, too. Now, Irishmen make love beautifully!"

A nice young American man sat across the tea table from Mrs. Gorst. Swiftly she turned to him:

"How do you make love?" she begged. He pinkened and laughed. "I don't know—I never did but once," he explained.

"Oh—delightful!" she beamed at him. "I'm sure you all know how to do it beautifully!"

For the sake of the absent Mr. Gorst, I hurriedly suggested that Mrs. Gorst compare English and Americans in the matter of love.

"The Englishman's trousers are perfect," she admitted, thoughtfully. "And I like his coat better than the over-padded shoulders American men wear wearing during my last visit. But what does all that matter when your men

have so much better figures than ours?"

The Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, with an area of 984,520 square miles and a population of 3,000,000 extends in the north to the boundary of Egypt, in the east to the Red Sea, Italian Eritrea and Abyssinia, in the south to Uganda and the Belgian Congo, and in the west to the French African colonies.

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If you want a scarf distinctly out of the ordinary, learn how to make this. Note the unusual side border. The stitch, too, is new and at the ends there is a clever use of the beautiful new Fleisher's Silkflake Wool. You will be surprised to learn how easily and at what little cost this striking and stylish scarf can be made. Send the coupon below for complete directions. The yarns used are Fleisher's Highland Wool and Fleisher's Silkflake Wool, two of the sixteen.

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Negro to Be Retried for Murder.
FULTON, Mo., Dec. 2.—Edwin Wilson, a negro, convicted of the murder of Clifford Sappington, yesterday obtained a new trial which is to begin Dec. 18.

CATARRH VICTIMS

Get Immediate and Effective Relief by Using Hyomel.

Hyomel is nature's true remedy for catarrh. There is no stomach dosing—you breathe it.

When using this treatment, you breathe healing balsams and effectively reach the most remote air cells of the throat, nose and lungs, the catarrhal germs are destroyed—quick and sure relief results.

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The complete outfit, including inhaler and bottle of liquid, costs but \$1.00; extra bottles of liquid, if later needed, 50 cents. Hyomel is sold under guarantee to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.—ADV.

MILLIONAIRE'S WIDOW BECOMES JOLO MISSIONARY

Mrs. Lorillard Spencer Takes Up Perilous Philippine Work Despite Entreaties.

NEWPORT, Dec. 2.—Despite appeals made up to the last minute by several of her intimate friends, Mrs. Lorillard Spencer, widow of the well-known millionaire and society man, departed today for the Philippines, where she will do missionary work in the conversion of the Mohammedan populace of Jolo to Christianity. She intends to give at least a year to this labor, which is undeniably a hard task.

For some time Mrs. Spencer has given assistance to Bishop Brent, who is the missionary head of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines and frequently has said she felt a call to some such religious service. After the death of her husband last year she turned her attention almost entirely to the work of the home and foreign missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Her friends regard the personal danger she will face as most serious. She will

have a companion in Miss Virginia Young, for years the head deaconess of St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church.

Mrs. Spencer, at the time of her marriage in 1882, was Miss Caroline S. Berryman, a granddaughter of Stephen Whitney, a merchant of New York.



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OWNERS BLAMED BY GRAND JURY FOR MINE RIOTS

Operators Elect and Control County Officials in Colorado, Report Says.

By Associated Press.

PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 2.—Actions of mine operators were severely criticized by the Federal grand jury, which yesterday returned indictments against a number of officials of the United Mine Workers of America.

The report of the grand jury says: "The operators appear to have been somewhat remiss in endeavoring to secure and hold the good will of their employees, and the grand jury deduced from the testimony that there existed reasonable grounds for many of the grievances complained of by the miners. We believe that many of these complaints are substantial and have merit."

The grand jury found that the state laws have not been so enforced as to "give all persons concerned the benefits which are derived therefrom," and that "the coal companies have been sufficiently influential to nominate, elect and control many county officers and have done so with the result of complicating the industrial situation by excluding political prejudices."

The report further sets out that "many camp marshals whose appointments and salaries are controlled by coal companies have exercised a system of espionage and have resorted to arbitrary powers of police control, acting in capacity of judge and jury and passing sentence upon the miner who had incurred the enmity of the superintendent or pit boss for having complained of real grievances or for other causes."

"These, taken with assaults by camp marshals upon miners, have produced general dissatisfaction among miners, who fear generally to complain of real grievances because of danger of their discharge."

In connection with mine-owned saloons, the report said: "Many of the coal companies maintain camp saloons and collect from the keepers of such saloons a per capita sum of 25 to 40 cents per month for each person whose name appears on the company's roll. Many camp saloons are open after midnight and on Sunday, contrary to the state law. Over one saloon there has been a fight over the red flag of anarchy, with an open knife fastened to the flag. This saloon is a rendezvous of anarchists and many crimes are chargeable to its influence."

Society

THURSDAY evening there will be an interesting affair at the Century Boat Club, when a jury of 15 men appointed for the purpose will sit in judgment on the dances of the day and decide which ones will be permitted at the club.

The Century Boat Club is an up-to-the-minute organization and plays an important part in the social life of the South Side set. It has frowned upon the modern manner of dancing, favoring, instead, the two-step, Boston and waltz.

Thursday evening there will be an exhibition of the winter's dances and the jury will decide whether the club will change its rules.

All the dancers will show their mettle and it will be a demonstration worth seeing.

More new jewelry is being shown in our store at 806 Locust than in any other St. Louis store. Heffern & Neuhoff.

Former Gov. and Mrs. David R. Francis will give a dinner-dance in honor of Mrs. Perry's niece, Miss Marion Perry, Tuesday evening at their residence, 4631 Maryland avenue. There will be 90 belles and beaux of the debutante set and about 18 young married people, counting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Perry Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Taitan T. Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Francis.

Mrs. R. F. Leggat of 5247 Westminster place will give a reception Wednesday afternoon Dec. 10 at her home. The cards of her two daughters, Mrs. Jesse L. Carlton and Mrs. Herman Duhme Jr., are enclosed in the invitation.

The December "Art Tea" will be held at the Art Club's gallery, 421 North Seventh street at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Miss Frances Spink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Spink of 5245 Lindell boulevard, will return about Dec. 17, from school at Oregon.

The annual sale of fancy articles at Bishop Robinson Hall will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the school, 4244 Washington boulevard.

Mrs. D. C. Buntin of the Aberdeen Apartments will be one of the hostesses at the Saturday dinner-dance at the St. Louis Club and will entertain a party of 12 in honor of Miss Isabel Benedict, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Benedict, who have chosen their place in Normandie and are at the Buckingham Hotel for the season.

Miss Mimi Floyd-Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Floyd-Jones of 467 West Pine boulevard, will entertain informally at luncheon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Walker have taken apartments at the Buckingham for part of the winter. Mrs. Walker and her daughter arrived about a fortnight ago from abroad and have been in New York. Miss Walker is expected here Wednesday and Mrs. Walker will follow later.

Church to Celebrate Anniversary.
Exercises in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. John F. Cannon at the Grand Avenue Presbyterian

Church, and the sixtieth anniversary of the church organization, will be held Wednesday night in the church.

An address will be delivered by the Rev. J. W. Lee, pastor of St. John's at

Cannon.

Burglars Get \$51 and Diamond.

Burglars ransacked the rooming

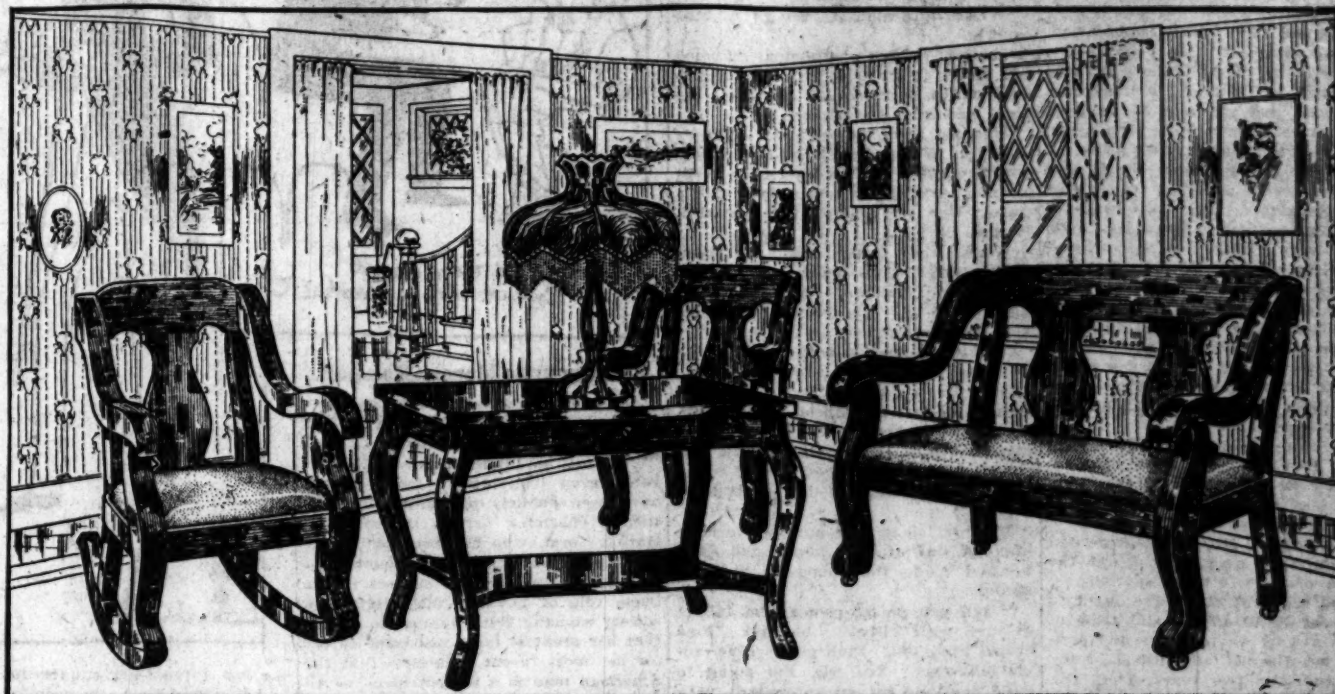
house of Tony Lombardo at 1002 North Tenth street, Monday night, and stole \$51.38 from Joe Diato and a diamond shirt stud from Valentine Saimo, two roomers, who were asleep at the time.

Complete Parlor Outfit

Consisting of GENUINE LEATHER Settee, Chair and Rocker—with Library Table and Art Lamp—as illustrated

TERMS—\$2.00 CASH—\$2.00 A MONTH

\$29.75



Again we present this extraordinary offering that has never failed to arouse the most enthusiastic response.

The Parlor Suit

Consists of three large and handsome pieces—a Settee, Chair and Rocker—the frames are of massive design, in Colonial effect and in finest mahogany finish—each piece has bent back, shaped arms and French legs and the construction throughout is the best in every way.

It's Genuine Leather

All three pieces of this Parlor Suit are upholstered in genuine leather of the finest quality over beds of oil-tempered steel springs—and remember when we say genuine leather we mean the real article and not one of the many imitations of leather which are so often shown in parlor suits under the name of Royal, Chase or Fabricoid leather.

The Library Table

Is exactly as illustrated—a design that harmonizes perfectly with the rest of this suite—it is extra long and wide—in rich mahogany finish, highly polished and finely finished—has 24x36-inch top, fancy designed legs and broad lower shelf for books or magazines.

The Art Lamp

Is extremely attractive—has large leaded glass dome shade in fancy design with deep beaded fringe—and is fitted for electricity (with cord)—or for gas (with tubing)—as desired—a lamp that you are sure to admire and one that adds the finishing touch to this attractive outfit.

Figure It Up

To appreciate this offer you must consider what these pieces would cost you if bought separately—a genuine leather Parlor Suit like this cannot be had elsewhere for less than \$92—the table is a \$10.00 value—the Art Lamp would be a bargain at \$8.00—so we are offering you a \$50.00 outfit for only \$29.75.

Note the Terms

As a special inducement to you to open an account with us this week, we offer this handsome outfit at this extremely low price of \$29.75—and on terms of payment that are equally pleasing—all you pay is \$2.00 cash and the balance \$2.00 a month.

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Nothing can compare with Poslam in the speed and ease with which it eradicates eczema, acne, barbers' and all forms of itch, rashes, scalp-lice, hemorrhoids and all eruptions diseases. Under its healing influence the skin's health quickly returns.

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Read it:

Post-Dispatch:
It may interest you to know that the For Rent ad inserted in your paper for our flat at 3124 Arsenal street was printed in your Home Edition, on the street about 1 o'clock, and that the property was rented before 8 o'clock that evening; 29 persons responded.

Post-Dispatch Wants Find Tenants

Each week the Post-Dispatch prints MORE Houses, Flats, etc. For Rent Want Ads than ALL of the other St. Louis newspapers combined.

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Names straightened in 20 minutes! No pain, delay or discomfort. All other facial treatments correct wrinkles, remove blemishes, redness, pimples, freckles, etc. Satisfactory results guaranteed. Free consultation. Write for details. Dr. J. H. Miller, 202 N. Tenth St., St. Louis, Mo.

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For the Thin and Bloodless!

The thin and bloodless, with pale cheeks, white lips and frail angular physique, of this community have been much interested in the reports of physicians and others concerning the effectiveness of the treatment for increasing the red and white corpuscles of the blood, thus adding color and weight, with its accompanying vigor to the depleted system. A gain of from ten to thirty pounds is not at all unusual where the treatment is regularly used for several months, while the color improves almost from the beginning. Most good apothecaries supply it in the form of three-grain hypo-nucleic tablets, put up in sealed packets, with directions for home use. Its action aids assimilation and absorption of the food eaten very promptly.—ADVERTISE

CROSS, IRRITABLE, SICK CHILDREN NEED GENTLE, EFFECTIVE CASCARETS.

Any child will gladly take "Cascarets Candy Cathartic," which gently—never gripe, or produce the slightest uneasiness—though cleanses the little one's constipated bowels, sweetens the stomach and puts the liver in a healthy condition.

Full directions for children and grown-ups in each package. Mothers can rest easy after giving this gentle, harmless laxative to children.





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For Men, Women and Children, a Tremendous Variety at the Very Lowest of Prices

A SALE OF WOMEN'S NEW FALL SHOES

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White, Black and Colored Satin Slippers.....\$2.65

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Children's Dull Leather, Heavy Sole, Button Shoes—

Sizes 6 to 8— 95c Sizes 11 to 12—\$1.45
Sizes 8 to 11— 95c Sizes 12 to 13—\$1.45

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Lace and Button, \$1.45 Lace only, \$1.95
Sizes 9 to 13—\$1.45 Sizes 1 to 6—\$1.95

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MRS. DOXEY, IN HOSPITAL, INSISTS SHE IS INNOCENT

Mrs. Dora Elizabeth Fuller-Downing Doxe, 48-year-old, lay on a cot at the city hospital Tuesday and feebly answered questions asked by attendants and physicians. She said the final disposition of her case on a charge of bigamy by her plea of guilty was a relief from a "terrible strain," but insisted she was innocent of the charge.

"I have never had a square deal in all my life," she said as she raised her head slightly from her cot. "I hope now I can rest in peace and recover my health."

She was taken to the city hospital Monday after she had pleaded guilty of bigamy in the Circuit Court at Clayton. She was sentenced to three months in jail and was fined \$100 and costs by Judge Wurdeman. The costs, amounting to \$244.15, were paid by her father, Jefferson Fuller.

It was agreed by the attorneys and Judge Wurdeman that the sentence should be served in the hospital, and that the woman's latest husband, Fred Whitney, a ranchman of Orofino, Idaho, should be permitted to be at her bedside. The fine was not paid, but three months' grace was allowed.

The expense of keeping the woman in the hospital is to be paid by St. Louis County at the rate of 60 cents a day. If she is not able to be removed at the expiration of that time she will have to remain at the county's expense, and she will be allowed \$1 a day in payment of her fine for the time she stays after the jail sentence expires.

The woman is in the observation ward, where other patients who are held as prisoners are kept. Her cot is in a cell, but the door is not locked.

She told reporters her plea of guilty was a matter of form only, and was made after much persuasion by her attorney, Charles P. Johnson.

"I am innocent, and God knows it," she said.

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For Nervous People

At last they're here and here to stay. The first time ever offered to the people of St. Louis—the famous Wendell's Ambition Pills—the great nerve tonic that will put health and strength into nervous, tired out, all in, dependent people in a few days. Anyone can buy a box for only 50 cents, and Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. is authorized by the maker to refund the purchase price if anyone is dissatisfied.

Thousands praise them for general run down condition and unsteady nerves caused by over-indulgence in alcohol, tobacco, or over-work of any kind.

As a brain food or any affection of the nervous system, Wendell's Ambition Pills are unsurpassed, while for hysteria, trembling and neuralgia they are simply splendid. Fifty cents at Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., and dealers everywhere. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid by Wendell's Ambition Pills, Syracuse, N. Y.

For Bronchitis—Father John's Medicine. Cures throat and lungs.

JEWEL THIEF WHO FLED TO EUROPE GETS 4 YEARS

David Delevie Who Posed as Buyer and Robbed Home Pleads Guilty.

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At the time the jewels were stolen, Delevie went to Mrs. Silverthorne's home and posed as a buyer for the property. He asked permission to wait in the house until his mother arrived, saying he wanted to buy the home for her. Half an hour later he left, and Mrs. Silverthorne discovered that her jewels were gone. Some of the stolen property was recovered in pawnshops in St. Louis.

SAFETY PINS FAIL TO PROTECT MAN'S \$142

J. W. Brown Robbed of Money as He Makes Rounds of Station Neighborhood.

Safety pins failed to protect \$142 which James W. Brown of Ford County, Kan., carried in his inside vest pocket when he made a round of the saloons in the neighborhood of Union Station Monday afternoon. Robbers not only got his money but took the safety pins as well.

Brown arrived in the city at 3:30 in the morning and, after getting a shave in a barber shop opposite the station on Twentieth street, invited the barber to have a drink with him. Then Brown started on a round of the neighborhood.

At 8 p. m. Brown awoke in the Market street dispensary and missed his money. He told the police the barber had gotten to do with the theft.

Illinois Life, Convict Released. JOURNAL, Ill. Dec. 2.—Jerry O'Connor, serving a life sentence in the penitentiary here, escaped early today and is believed to have taken refuge in Chicago. In escaping O'Connor violated liberty which he enjoyed as a trustee. He was sentenced in September, 1912.

Married Man: Your wife would like a diamond ring, worth \$100. Why not buy one on credit at Lott's Bros. & Co., 22 South 2d St. St. Louis.

CAULFIELD UPSETS FREEHOLDERS' PLAN FOR SINGLE HOUSE

Board Splits When Attorney Says Ward Representation in One Body Would Be Illegal.

The plan of the Board of Freeholders to provide in the new charter for a single legislative body, with the members nominated by wards or districts and elected at large, was upset Monday night by an opinion of former Judge Henry S. Caulfield, counsel for the board, declaring it to be illegal.

The board, several weeks ago by formal vote had declared in favor of the one house system with district or ward representation, if it should be found that the plan was legal. Under the opinion of Judge Caulfield the board will have to provide for a one-body assembly with members nominated and elected at large, or for a two-house system similar to that which prevails under the present charter.

One House System Favored. The board members nearly all favor the one-house system, but at the same time they favor district representation. It is considered doubtful whether those who are in favor of a one-body system nominated and elected at large will be able to carry their proposition over those who are determined to stand for ward or district representation, even if two houses must be provided for.

Freeholders Rowe, Rutledge and Lamm are on record as favoring the two-house system, unless the one-house system could be made to provide for ward or district representation. Chapman McDonald is strongly in favor of one house, even if it has to be nominated and elected at large, and several other members will vote with him on that proposition.

After Judge Caulfield had given his decision, Freeholder Rosenfeld proposed a plan by which members of a one-house assembly would have to reside in certain wards or districts, while at the same time being nominated at large.

Rowe Attacks Rosenfeld Plan. He contended that residence in a certain district should be made a necessary qualification for members in the legislative body, and that under his plan the board could still provide for one house and retain the principle of district representation.

This plan was attacked as illegal and impossible by Freeholder Rowe and others. Judge Caulfield was asked to write an opinion on its legality for Thursday night's meeting, if possible. If the opinion should be ready, the board will then take up for final determination the question of providing for one or two houses. The first real fight in the board is expected to develop over this problem. Freeholder Rowe announced that he had an engagement to attend a prize fight Thursday night, and directed Chairman McDonald to vote his proxy in favor of two houses.

Discusses Powers of Assembly. The board Monday night discussed at length the question of the powers to be conferred upon the Municipal Assembly in the new charter. Other than determining that the power of confirming the Mayor's appointees should be withdrawn from the Mayor and vested in the board, the board passed over the question until it had determined definitely whether the Assembly shall have one or two houses.

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ALL YELLS BUT YALE'S AT COLLEGE CLUB SHOW

The College Club's annual benefit performance at the Olympic Theater Monday night was the occasion for a frolic of college songs and college yells be-

tween the acts of "The Governor's Lady." The house was filled, and there was not a quiet second when the curtain was down. First, photographs of university and college buildings were greeted by their respective "grads."

In the last interval a feminine chorus sang a ditty to the tune of "Daniel in the Lion's Den," in which the graduates of various colleges were invited to yell for their schools. There was a response from all but Yale, whose graduates, if any were there, were too much bowed down by recent gridiron defeats to interrupt the "Yell-yell-yell, Yell-yell-yell" or any other ill slogan. In the case of some of the women's colleges, a solitary gown figure stood up and made valiant response.

The Bell Telephone Company Announces That a Change in St. Louis Telephone Rates Has Been Filed With the Public Service Commission of Missouri

DURING the latter part of 1911, this Company announced an increase in rates for Unlimited Business Service in the City of St. Louis, effective February 1st, 1912, as the rates for that class of service were too low, and a large number of unlimited business subscribers were receiving service at less than cost, owing to their heavy use of same. Under an agreement with the City of St. Louis, the increase in rates was suspended pending an investigation and report by the St. Louis Public Service Commission. After two years of exhaustive investigation, the City Commission in its report to the Municipal Assembly, October 14, 1913, clearly indicates that the Company is entitled to a material increase in revenue. We have, therefore, filed with the Public Service Commission of the State of Missouri a new schedule of rates, effective January 1st, 1914, this schedule being a slight modification of the rates suspended two years ago under the agreement with the City of St. Louis.

The schedule provides for:

(a) **No change in Residence Rates.**

(b) A comprehensive schedule of business message rates which are materially lower than the present message rates, and will enable the smaller users and a large number of the unlimited business subscribers to secure service at the same or lower cost than at present.

Under the new message rate plan a subscriber who uses less messages during the year than he contracts for, will receive a refund, making the cost of the service meet his actual use down to the lowest rate of \$45.00 for direct line and \$39.00 for two-party line service. The message rate plan now in effect and the suspended rate plan, provide for no refund, and the number of messages contracted for is a guaranteed minimum.

(c) An increase in rates for unlimited business service.

The new schedule will affect the cost of service as follows:

42,562 Stations---66% of total---cost of service unchanged.
3,525 Stations--- 6% of total---cost of service decreased 75c per month.
18,260 Stations---28% of total---cost of service increased 88c per month.

The above are average figures, and in individual cases the decrease or increase will vary from practically nothing to amounts in excess of the average figures. The principal rates affected are:

PRINCIPAL ST. LOUIS BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES

Class of Service	PRESENT SCHEDULE	RATES SUSPENDED FEBRUARY 1st, 1912.	Revision of suspended rates, filed with the State Commission effective January 1st, 1914.
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The increase in revenue will be distributed as follows:

Total estimated increase in revenue, \$157,000.00

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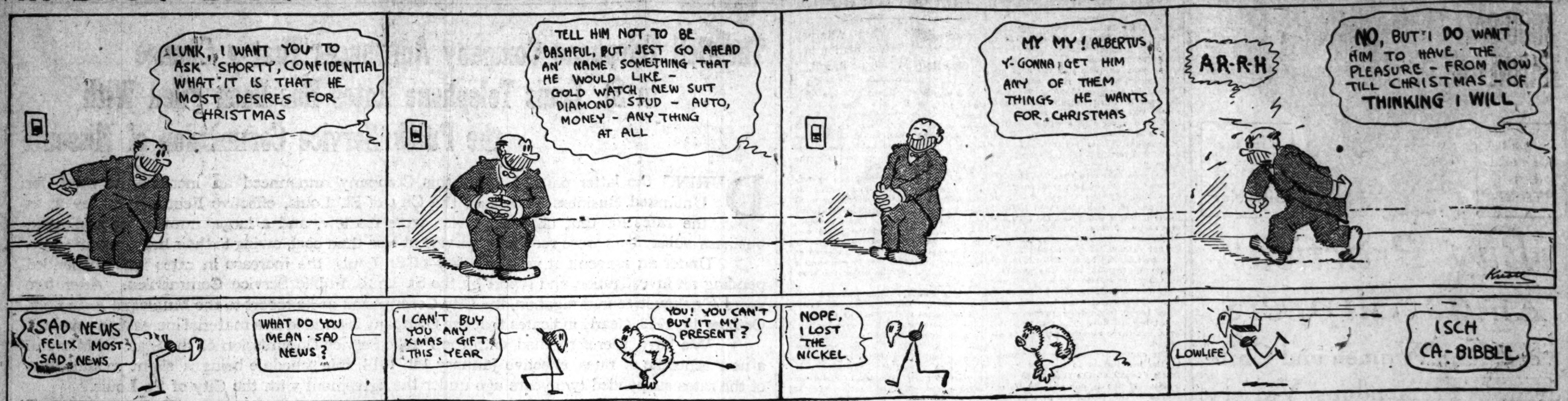
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It's Up to the Big Leagues to Recognize the Belligerency of the Federals

MR. SHORT SPORT: Santa Claus never did have any use for eavesdroppers

By Jean Knott



EDMUNDS WANTS LIGHT SCHEDULE FOR '14 PIKERS

Elimination of Kansas and Ames Is One Way of Making Washington's Task Easier.

By W. J. O'Connor.

Coach Bill Edmunds of Washington U. wants a lighter schedule for the Pikers next season and will try to arrange a more desirable program this week when he attends the Missouri Valley Conference meeting at Des Moines, Ia. He will accompany Prof. W. E. McCourt to Des Moines as the representative of the Pikeaway school, Thursday evening, the meeting being set for Friday and Saturday.

That Washington, under the yoke of stringent eligibility rules, is not equipped to play teams like Kansas and Ames has been conclusively proved, and Edmunds is right in his contention that the Pikeaway eleven should select lighter teams for next year. To arrange a more desirable set of games, however, he will be obliged to break with several of the Conference teams and solicit games from schools outside the Missouri Valley circle.

Local Meeting Talked Of.

This presents an opening for the much-desired game between St. Louis U. and Washington, although nothing has been done to bring the estranged local institutions together. Since the adoption of the freshmen rule at the Billiken school, St. Louis U. has slipped back to Washington's plans and on form displayed during the past season there is little to choose between the two local teams. Washington's game against Rolla was the only basis for comparison and on this score alone the Pikers showed a slight advantage although it must be said that the Miners were crippled at their best against the Billikens. The alumni of both schools favor such a game next season, although to date nothing has been done to bring Washington and St. Louis together. If the Pikers bar Kansas and Ames, they will have only two Conference teams on their schedule. Unless Edmunds favors an early cutting date, such as he practiced this year, he will have a hard time filling the 1937 roster of games.

Practice Rule in Question.

One question which will come before the Missouri Valley meeting at Des Moines, is a uniform starting time for fall practice. The present rule is that teams shall not begin practice until school opens. Inasmuch as some schools open two weeks in advance of others, this rule seems unjust. Edmunds desires a uniform starting time for all teams, and as is practiced in the Big Eight conference.

Coach Brewer of Missouri promises to bring up the suggestion of numbering the players. After Brewer had been shown the wisdom of this system in the St. Louis U. season game, he went on record favoring it. Early in the season he opposed the innovation on the ground that it would be unjust unless all the schools adopted the scheme. Hence then the Big Eight has agreed to number their men and the Missouri Valley teams are expected to follow suit.

New Athletics Head at C. B. C.

Brother William of Christian Brothers' College has resigned as Athletic Director and Brother Matthews has been temporarily named as successor. A permanent appointment soon will be made.

Women to See Inaugural Game of Water Basket Ball at M. A. C. Thursday. Water basket ball will be presented for the first time to the M. A. C. members Thursday night, when the regular bi-monthly closed athletic meet will be held. Women will be admitted to this meet, which will consist of four championship events and a water basket ball game. Fancy diving, stunts for distance, 25 and 40 yard events are the events down for discussion.

Coach Tom Whittaker is eager to know how the game of water basket ball will be received by the club members, and will have two strong teams in the field to play in the championship game. The outside meet has been scheduled for the cherry-circled meet (see card) after the cherry-circled meet, Jan. 17 for the first meet of the season.

WRAY'S COLUMN

What's in a Name.
THE Federal, whether thriving in Mexico or the United States, appears to have the faculty of causing our best presidents grave annoyance, as witness the effect on Wilson and Hoedges. Just now the Fed is not showing the best of form and at least temporarily both executive heads mentioned are reverting their heads.

Mr. Hoedges still insists that the Federal capacity for annoyance is slight and that the Jersey skeeter at his best is a far more dangerous insect. But that's the mistake all beings in power are supposed to make—underestimating the opposition, and hiding the real trouble rivals may be causing.

More Smoke Than Fire.
IT is probable that the defection of the Browns' pitching staff is really about one-tenth in earnest and about nine tenths a plug for more salary. Nevertheless even that is going to cause annoyance to the exchequer of a losing team.

Merely Using the Feds.
THE very worst enemy of the Federal League is the fact that many more players will endeavor to make use of it to boost their Organized Baseball salaries than to shake off the shackles of the hated-ditto alleged—"trust." Thus, while it is easy for the Federals to get the ear of a prominent baseball man, to get his signature is an entirely different proposition.

It's this fact probably that makes the local and other Federals more at ease in spirit.

West Takes Right Stand.
IN contrast to the inconsiderate stand of some of the Eastern institutions in refusing to placard football players during important matches, is the position of the Western Conference colleges, which have agreed to give the system a trial.

That will, of course, mean the permanency of the plan in the West, for the numbering of the individuals is certain to be found of great benefit to spectators. While, through this scheme, the uninitiated may not be taught the inside of all that is happening on the gridiron, they will at least be able to understand who is doing the important carrying of the ball, the kicking, etc.

Why the Coach Kicks.
COACHES admit the numerical system as good a thing to spectators that they want to sidestep it because it lays bare the workings of secret plays to scouts from rival eleven.

Numbers in Other Sports.
MOST players and captains seem to think the numbers carry with them some sort of stigma. This is the more strange since the number system obtains in track and field, as well as other important sports, and never a thought of an objection has arisen.

Does the Spectator Count?
THE increasing number of persons whom the adoption of this number system in the East will affect is shown in the expansion of seating capacities at the various big stadia. The climax of all these is the great Yale Stadium, ground for which has just been broken. The first seating capacity of this is to be 85,000, with an emergency increase of 10,000. Room, however, will

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BILLY GRUPP TO FACE K O PUNCH IN FIGHT TONIGHT

Buck Crouse, of Buffalo, Owner of Same, Opposes Local Boy Here.

Billy Grupp, the South Broadway middleweight, will be facing a knockout punch when he meets Albert Crouse, better known as "Buck," of Buffalo, at the Future City Athletic Club tonight.

Buck has put over the "kay" on no less person than George Chip, in one of the six fights in which the pair has participated. It is true, George came back and did likewise to Crouse—but Chip is likely to knock out any fighter, if he can hit him at all.

Otherwise Crouse has a good record. This includes bouts with such men as Jack Dillon, Mike Glover, Leo Houck and K. O. Brown. Chip is the only last who owes a knockout offer Crouse. Crouse, in addition to his knockout of Chip, owns a decision over the Pittsburgher, and fought three no-decision affairs with him.

Grupp relies on Science. Grupp hasn't exhibited anything like a sleep production in his system since his amateur days and has been compelled to beat his opponents cleanly by out-boxing them. Meeting fighters of the stamp of Kayo Brown, Al McCoy, Young Kuntz, Mike Donovan, etc. All of these men are of fair reputation and that Grupp was able to hold his own with them indicates he has made progress in the ring world.

Crouse will be permitted to weigh in at 135 pounds, giving him a few pounds the edge over Grupp.

The discrepancy does not bother Grupp, who knows his adversary's strong points and figures to outgeneral and outpoint him.

Referee Says McGovern, Not Conley, Deserved a Decision at Springfield

Tony Ortall, guardian of Benny McGovern's welfare, is persistent in his contention that his protégé shaded Frankie Conley in that recent 10-round argument at Springfield, Ill. How the impression got abroad that Conley had the better of the bout is more than Tony can account for. However, Tony Tuesday exhibited a letter from F. O. Wernecke, who referred the bout, in which Wernecke makes the unqualified statement that McGovern won on points.

"You can quote me as much as you like along those lines," says Wernecke, so Tony is quoting ad lib.

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Branch Rickey ought to take the Browns down to Panama and let them practice the Culebra slide.

Ch. Hoedges says he is not worried about the Federals taking his players away from him. The Colonel probably thinks if anybody should worry it should be the Federals.

Compared to the scarcity of Billikens in the lineup of the several experts' All-America football teams a hen would make good as a walking advertisement for a dentist.

HEDGES SAYS HE ISN'T WORRIED BY FEDERALS

Declaring that he wasn't losing sleep over the threatened attack of the Federal League on organized baseball, President R. H. Hoedges of the Browns returned to his desk in the Bank of Commerce Building Tuesday morning. He has been motoring through the Southwest since the season closed.

Hedges says that his manager, Branch Rickey, will do all the trading this winter. If any trading is done at all, and that he (Hedges) doesn't propose to dabble into the playing end of the game.

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Five Rowing Coaches Asked to Take Yale Leadership; None Is Willing

By Robert Edgren, A Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Yale's rowing policies shortly will undergo a radical change. A number of former Blue captains, dissatisfied at the miserable showing of the English stroke and training system, have formed a committee to elect a new head coach. It is expected that within a few days a successor will be named to succeed W. Averill Harriman.

As yet the committee has not been able to decide on anyone, but it is known that E. J. Glanville, coach of the New York A. C., is being considered as the next head coach at New Haven.

A premature report that gained circulation to the effect that the N. Y. A. C. coach had been tendered and had accepted an offer to go to New Haven was denied by Mr. Glanville today.

Before consulting Mr. Glanville the Yale committee, determined to establish the Blue's rowing system on a sound basis, discreetly approached Ten Eyck of Syracuse and Jim Rice of Columbia on the possibility of coming to New Haven as head coach for the coming season. To the committee's disappointment, both Ten Eyck and Rice said that they were bound by contracts to Syracuse and Columbia respectively.

Next negotiations were opened with Guy Nickalls of the celebrated English rowing family and a brother of Vivian Nickalls, recently appointed to coach the University of Pennsylvania crew. Nickalls was reluctant to leave England and the committee then turned to Glanville for advice.

Yale students and alumni have been clamoring for a change in the rowing system since the varsity crew was outclassed by both Harvard and Princeton. With young Harriman as head, coach the English stroke was imported, as well as two of England's best coaches, Guld and Kirby. The attempt to teach the Yale crews the strenuous foreign stroke in one season was a dismal failure.

In the annual race with Harvard the Yale crew started well, but couldn't maintain the hard pace, and finished many lengths behind the smooth-rowing Crimson boat. Coach Harriman still retained faith in the foreign stroke and continued to teach the coach had been tendered and had accepted an offer to go to New Haven was denied by Mr. Glanville today.

That was more than many students and a large part of the alumni could stand, and a movement was quickly started to rectify the prevailing evils, with the appointment of a new coach. A number of prominent former Yale leaders then formed a committee to assist Capt. Deane in solving the problem that confronts him this season, and it is altogether likely that a new head coach will be engaged within the next week.

COMPANY K IS AFTER BASKETBALL TITLE IN FIRST REGIMENT MEET

Since the Company "K" basket ball team defeated the Greenville, Ill., team at Greenville last week, by a 41 to 25 score, "K" enthusiasts are predicting another banner season for their team. The "A" Company quintette is all that stands in the way of the "K" aggregation in the First Regiment championship flight again this season, and "A" Company lost to Greenville two weeks ago by a 24-to-27 score.

Otto Deery, Dutch Althaus, Manny Marting, Clarence Meech, Dick Kelley and Walter Stewe, all former interscholastic and intercollegiate stars, compose the Company "A" team this season.

With the exception of Clayton Rice, whose place on Company "K" team has been taken by Louis Dugan, the Madison (Ill.) High School star, the Company "K" lineup remains the same as that which won the city championship title last year.

Rich von Dachs, Bill Joren, Ed Fischer, Harry McKenna, Bob Kropp and Clarence Beers, all former members of championship teams at McKinley High School, are the Company "K" regulars.

Buffalo Federals to Sign Jack Lelivelt, a Cleveland Discard

In Buffalo it is reported that the Federal League of that city may get Jack Lelivelt, pinch hitter for the Cleveland Naps last summer, and a former Washington player.

Lelivelt has been disposed of to the Toledo club, and is counted on to make the Mud Hens a valuable man, as he is a heavy hitter.

The Buffalo club of the Federal League, it is claimed, has signed Catcher Hank

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Forster, St. Louis	2,801
Frank, St. Louis	2,754
Mineralites, Chicago	2,719
Two-Man Event.	
Ferguson-Havens, St. Louis	1,155
Fitcher-Kennedy, Omaha	1,109
Brook-Knight, Des Moines	1,099
Cooley-Pittsford, Omaha	1,099
Buller-Sears, Des Moines	1,099
Fischer-Werner, St. Louis	1,119
Individual Event.	
O. Hanger, Chicago	624
W. Ferguson, St. Louis	627
W. Forster, St. Louis	619
W. Thompson, Chicago	619
W. Smith, St. Louis	611
W. H. Hill, Des Moines	610
All Events.	
H. Kohl, Chicago	1,519

Exit "dodo" ball. Officials of the Mid-West Bowling Association, in executive session Monday afternoon, voted to bar this pesky freak from competitive pin-topping and in so doing they pleased a majority of their constituents.

The "dodo" is a "loaded" ball that has caused more worry in temple circles than a mouse at a suffrage meeting. One-half of it weighs nine pounds and the other seven, enabling the bowler to get a peculiar hook or "break" to the delivery.

Officers were elected for next year and it was voted to hold the 1914 tournament, which will be the eighth annual, at Sioux City, Ia., W. B. Holmes of the Sioux City Commercial Club spoke on behalf of his town and promised not less than 40 teams if the tournament went his way. St. Louis was the only other bidder.

Lambert Vice-President.

George Strots of Des Moines was re-elected president of the Mid-West Association for the sixth time. Wooster Lambert of this city was selected first vice-president, with George C. Lowe of Kansas City as secretary. H. B. Farley of Kansas City is the new treasurer. Several St. Louis bowlers are on the new Executive Committee.

After the election has been disposed of the delegates retired to the Washington Aljays and witnessed the best shooting of the tournament to date. As was expected, the local stars upset records in the five-man event, three teams doing better than any previous mark. The Hyde Parks rolled into first place with 2905, while the Wooster Lancers were not far behind with 2801. The Forsters upset 2787 pins, making the third team that bettered the mark of 2754 held by the Mineralites of Chicago.

Jeanel of the Forsters carried away individual honors with a score of 619 in the tournament to date. As was expected, the local stars upset records in the five-man event, three teams doing better than any previous mark. The Hyde Parks rolled into first place with 2905, while the Wooster Lancers were not far behind with 2801. The Forsters upset 2787 pins, making the third team that bettered the mark of 2754 held by the Mineralites of Chicago.

Gridiron Gossip.

M. H. Yost of Michigan has selected his all-American team, giving full credit to his own men. He picked up Quarterback Huggins of the Wolverines over Do-ral of Notre Dame, and also named Jimmy Craig and Jackie Pontius from his own squad. Norman of Chicago and Holon of Minnesota, an end, are the other Westerners. Of course, he included C. Brickley of Harvard.

After all there were only three big upsets in football this season. Cornell's defeat with over twenty was while the Army's victory over the Navy was another. The Green eleven had spanked Princeton.

Only the Haskell game at Kansas City, where their share amounted to \$335 and Christian Brothers College show a profit in football this season. Considerable money was lost on the gridiron campaign, but the game will be resumed next fall, it is announced.

Coach Luke Kelly may not quit the college after all. Pressure has been brought to bear to have the college man return next fall, and although he refused, he gave a definite answer upon leaving St. Louis Monday. It is thought that he will be back at least his successor has not been considered.

DIAMOND GLINTS

Garry Herrmann has put his O. K. on the plans for the new league to fight the Federal League. Herrmann was quite pleased over the chance to help out in the work of fighting the "Feds".

Nap discarded did almost as well as the Nap regulars last summer. Mi West won 15 and lost 11. Harry Krause won 17 and lost 11. Elia Hill James won 24 and lost 10, and Gene Krupp won 12 and lost 12 in the Pacific Coast League.

Arthur Davlin, who played with Rochester of the International League most of last summer and then went to the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League as manager, has been turned back to the Rochester club, even though he has not had a chance to do any managing.

There is no chance in the world for Clark. With the set Johnny Bates from the Cincinnati club, according to Garry Herrmann. The Red president got tired of hearing reports that Bates was to be let out, so he came out flat-footed and contradicted the story.

Gardner Trines Grover.

Harvey McCarty composed two interesting bits at the Aurora. A. C. Redford Billy Hickey declared Dale Gardner the winner over George Grover, after eight rounds of battling, while Joe Cherry took L. Matthews into camp in six rounds. Cherry was knocked down twice in the second round, but he came on and won.

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M'Farland Never to Make Weight Again, Rivals Say

One-Time Lightweight Aspirant Has Weighed Over 145 Pounds in His Recent Bout—Scaled More Than Harry Brewer in Welter Fight at Winnipeg.

THAT Packey McFarland will never again attempt to make other than the welterweight boxing maximum, and that not for very long, is the growing belief of those who have come in contact with him and watched his recent matches.

Still others believe that the series of bouts Packey now has in view, which will be followed by his marriage, will be the wind-up of one of the most successful ring careers, financially and scientifically, known to have been achieved by anyone who NEVER ACTUALLY HELD A WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

McFarland meets Harry Trendall when Thursday night, at the Coliseum. It will be the first time he ever fought in public here, and it may be the last time he will be seen here. For this bout Packey is also refusing to do weight and will come in at a catch figure.

Dec. 8 Packey meets Jack Britton, a tough opponent, but one whom McFarland has already solved. He is supposed to make weight for Britton, and many figured this would force him to be fairly well down in flesh one week before this time, to wit, the date of his bout with Trendall.

Overweight for Murphy.

But McFarland also agreed to make weight for a bout with Tommy Murphy, held not so long since in New York City, where a commission is supposed to see that weight agreements are lived up to. But Packey entered the ring very big. Bob Edgren, a ring specialist, who saw McFarland and has known him three times, has fought in near-lightweight shape, declared McFarland weighed not less than 150 pounds in his opinion.

More testimony to McFarland's growing bigness comes from Harry Brewer, the clever Kansas City welterweight, who recently was outboxed by McFarland in a battle at Winnipeg, Canada. Brewer will work with Trendall for a day or two to help get him on edge for the McFarland mill. Said he:

"McFarland, in my opinion and that of other men who have seen him, will never be able to make weight again—at any rate, not lightweight, not even 125 pounds.

"He weighed close to 150 pounds for his bout with me, a few days ago—at least, he seemed that fat. His increasing bigness did not seem to handicap his speed or effectiveness, and he was not even breathing hard when our bout was over.

"He is undoubtedly a wonderful man. Trendall gave him a good bout in Kansas City some years ago, and should make a still better showing with the added experience he has had in the elapsed time."

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WILLARD TO BEAT MORRIS IS JONES' ONE BEST WAGER

Former Manager of Ad Wolgast Thinks Big Cowpuncher Has It on Engineer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—It is probable the protest of Referee Joh, entered yesterday by Carl Morris and his manager, will be overruled by the Garden Athletic Club authorities. Joh has given satisfaction in the past.

Tom Jones, manager of Jess Willard, today predicted that the big cowpuncher would beat Carl Morris in their bout at the Garden. Jones didn't explain just how Willard is going to do it, but he is certain his prediction will come true.

Willard showed very well in his last appearance here, particularly against the late Luther McCarty and Soldier Kearns.

Morris' fight against Gunboat Smith is still fresh in the memory of those who saw it. In his bout Morris showed wonderful improvement in his posing. He appeared to have acquired an aggressiveness that he always seemed to lack.

After the Smith bout, Morris said that one of Smith's punches hurt him and Smith landed some crushers. It remains to be seen if Willard has what it takes to dispatch the ex-engineer from Oklahoma.



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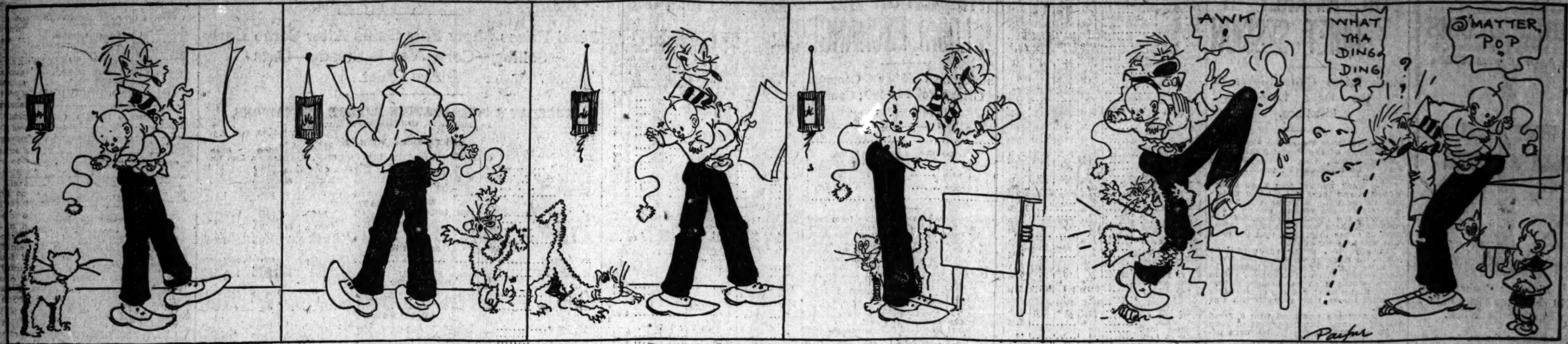
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THE JARR FAMILY

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Mrs. Jarr Makes Many Additions to Mr. Jarr's Stock of Ignorance.

CLARA MUDRIDGE-SMITH thinks Dr. Gumm, the young dentist who has opened an office in the neighborhood, is so interesting that she has been talking the matter over with her friends. "Well, don't you have anything to do with their getting better acquainted," advised Mr. Jarr. "She's got a husband, and—"

"Wait a minute!" interrupted Mrs. Jarr, with icy insistence. "I'm to be the judge of what is right and proper in the social relations of my friends. If you please," and she put ninety horse-power emphasis on the "if."

"Well, I don't want to start any quarrels," grumbled Mr. Jarr. "I only say that your Dr. Gumm is a—"

"MY Dr. Gumm?" asked Mrs. Jarr. "Why, I only met the man yesterday when you introduced him to me. And Mrs. Mudridge-Smith happened to come along. I introduced him to her, and she afterward remarked to me that she thought him so interesting and so cultured and so disengaged—and then you accuse me of conniving at clandestine meetings and—"

"I don't know what!" And Mrs. Jarr began to "pipe her eye," as the sailors say.

"You bet you don't know what!" retorted Mr. Jarr, hotly. "I never said anything about any clandestine meetings. All I said was that I thought you'd better have nothing to do with getting them better acquainted."

"Well, who began it?" said Mrs. Jarr. "I'm sure I just happened to see Clara Mudridge-Smith yesterday. She was very interesting. She's taken up eugenics now and social reforms, and is reading all the books that should be suppressed, and she's so anxious to do something for equal franchise or humanity, that I think you should give her some credit for sensible purposes for once in her life."

"Although, and I know it just as well as I know I'm sitting here, Clara Mudridge-Smith has only taken up the White Slave and White Slavery and all those sort of things because it is very fashionable now to discuss horrible topics. As Clara Mudridge-Smith says, her husband couldn't be any more horrified if she were to smoke a large marijuana pipe or stand on her head on the window sill in broad day than he is when she discusses sociology."

"Time was, Clara says, when one could have been afraid even to think of thinking about such things, but now it is not fully conversant with the most dreadful things one is regarded as not being at all cultured or refined."

"I think they're all crazy," said Mr. Jarr. "No, when that's said, the most sensible thing is said, and we won't waste them or their discussions—theological section, so to speak, of the suffragettes."

"Perhaps you are right," remarked Mrs. Jarr, with a sigh. "Poor old Mrs. Mudridge-Smith thinks the world is coming to an end, but I think the suffragettes leaders are using the silly women like Clara Mudridge-Smith simply to extort money from them."

"Why, as soon as Dr. Gumm heard Clara declare she was a militant suffragette, he told her that had teeth were responsible for present day social conditions."

"The said had teeth caused indignation; indignation created poverty; poverty caused women to take a broad view of life; and, not having a broad view of life, they did not get a vote."

"Not having a vote, Dr. Gumm said, women could not bring pressure to bear on the Legislature to pass laws compelling everybody to have their teeth attended to, especially women. Not giving their teeth attended to, women as indignation having indignation made them poverty."

"You said all that before. But what was Clara Mudridge-Smith telling you when she was swinging in buying a coat?"

"She read an advertisement for 'What Every Woman Should Know,' and sent \$5 for it and got a book."

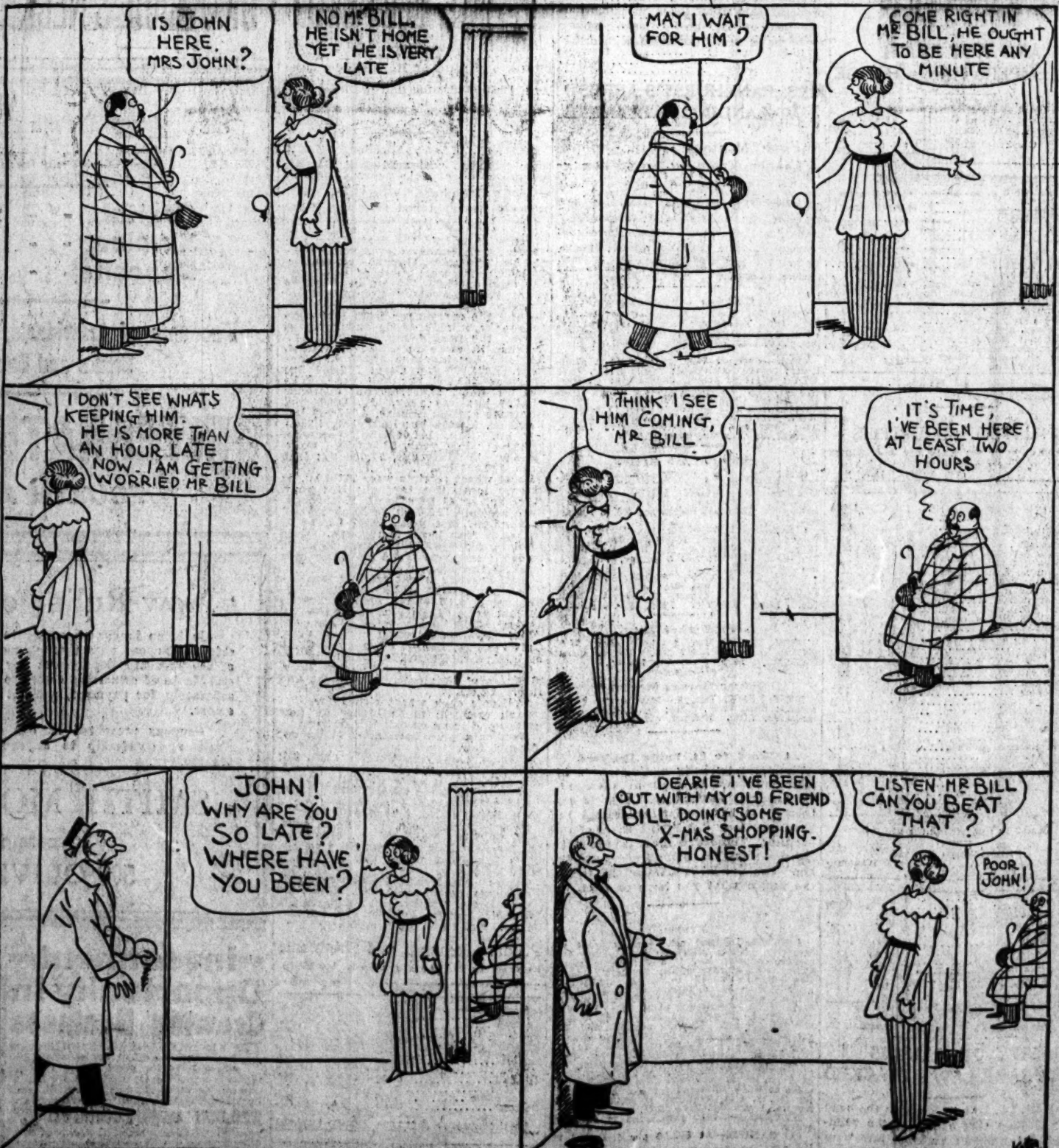
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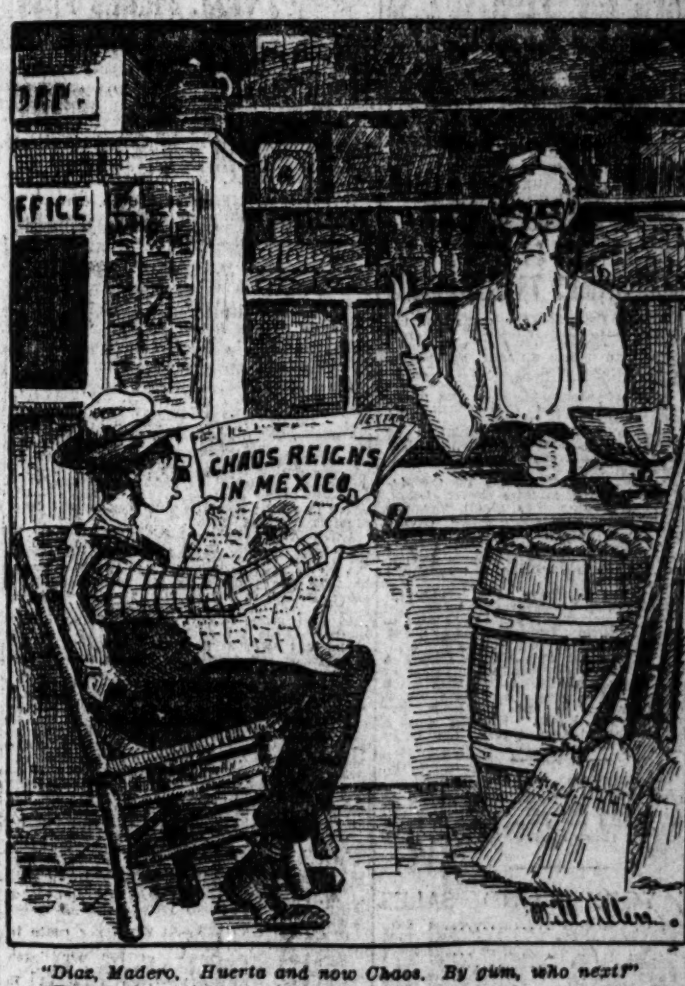


Low Comedy.
"HINT!" said the villain. "I am a plot!"
"You have killed somebody, eh?" asked his accomplice.
"No, it isn't that. My mother-in-law has died and left me some city lots."

Monetary.
COL. OLIVER HAZARD PAYNE of New York is reported to have donated \$5,000 to Carroll. Col. Payne sends word that money is not as tight as some people have reported it to be. —Chicago Record-Herald.

The Real Truth.
"YOU told me you married me for love and that you told one of your best friends you married me merely for my money."
"Well, both are right. I married you for love of your money."

Not the Biting End.
LITTLE ROBBIE was pulling the dog's tail when his aunt said: "You mustn't do that, Robbie; he will bite you."
"Oh, no," said Robbie; "dogs don't bite at this end!"



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